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WIFE OF GAMBIER LOSES HER FIGHT

Decision Against Former Atlanta Society Girl in Suit for Separation.

ANNULMENT SUIT IS PENDING

Climax of Sensational Case in New York—Court Declares Mrs. Gambier Was Not Deserted by Her Husband.

New York, Aug. 7.—Edith Russell Gambier, the former Atlanta society girl, loses her fight for a separation and the writ she prayed for goes instead to Edward V. Gambier, her husband, a New York bank cashier, according to a decision handed down in her action by the Supreme Court this afternoon. Gambier's suit for annulment of the marriage is on the Fall calendar for jury trial.

Justice Pendleton, who wrote the decision, finds that Mrs. Gambier was not deserted by her husband, within the meaning of the law, because the desertion was justifiable. Mrs. Gambier's effort at reconciliation the court finds could not be accepted in good faith.

If at any time she is said to have sought a reconciliation she was conducting herself with another man in the manner testified to by some witnesses, the court held that her efforts could only be received as intended for the purposes of litigation. "It would be impossible to reconcile such conditions with a belief that she entertained a feeling of love for her husband or was willing to live with him" the decision reads.

It was testified at the trial, which had several sensational features, that Mrs. Gambier was often seen in the company of "an unknown man." The court says "this was scarcely in accord with the customary propriety for a married woman." On the other hand, the decision states, Gambier "loved the plaintiff; married her with every intention of doing his duty by her, and treated her with great consideration, kindness and attention.

"It is possible if he had treated her with less consideration and had been more selfish it would have been better for her and both of them," the decision continued. "As to the plaintiff's assertion that she really loved the defendant during the period between the marriage and the separation, it is difficult to believe. Beyond her bare statement of the facts, there is nothing in the evidence as to the occurrences during this period to show it and it is barely conceivable that she should have treated him as the evidence indicates she did if she entertained any feeling of genuine affection.

"I cannot agree with the contention that her statement at the final interview that she was 'acquiescent and ready' is to be considered and wipes out all that had gone before," the decision concludes.

"There was no suggestion of a change of heart or purpose. There is nothing to show that it was made in good faith."

The couple were married here on April 30, 1910. The alleged desertion occurred on August 10th, of this same year.

FATAL SEABOARD WRECK.

Raleigh Engineer Killed Near Petersburg Sunday Night.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 7.—Seaboard Air Line passenger train No. 33, which was in the collision last night, one mile south of Petersburg, did not reach Raleigh until 11:30 this morning. The smashing of the engine was the most serious damage done in the collision, which resulted in the death of Engineer Hicks, of Raleigh. It is stated that the freight train, with Engineer Hicks and Conductor Bradley, had taken the siding to give the passenger train the right of way; that Conductor Bradley set and locked the switch after his train passed in, to protect the main line and that a train hand whose name has not been learned here, reversed the switch just before the passenger train came along, not knowing that it had been properly adjusted by the conductor personally. Then the passenger train dashed into the siding and Engineer Rice and his fireman, on the passenger train jumped, thereby avoiding death in the collision. Before jumping Rich reversed his lever and applied the brakes, thereby saving many lives.

TORPEDO BOAT DESTROYERS.

Bids for Four to be Constructed Opened in Washington.

Washington, Aug. 7.—The Cramp Shipbuilding Company, of Philadelphia, was the lowest bidder today for four 29-knot torpedo boat destroyers of 1,000 tons each at $760,000 each. The Bath Iron Works, Bath, Me., offered to build two boats for $766,000 each; the New York Shipbuilding Company, of Camden, N. J., one boat for $788,000; the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, of Massachusetts, one boat for $778,800; Union Iron Works, of San Francisco, two boats at $803,750, and the Newport News Shipbuilding Company, of Newport News, Va., one boat on the department design for $825,000 on its own design for $790,000. Eight boats in all are to be built. Some time will be required to ascertain which of the bids will be accepted.

DEMOCRACY AGAIN TRIUMPHED

Sensational Baseball Game for the Championship of House of Representatives—Squabbels on Field Like in Congress.

Washington, Aug. 7.—Democracy triumphed again today when Republican congressmen bit the dust—some of them swallowed quarts of it—on the baseball diamond in the struggle for the championship of the House of Representatives—score, 12 to 9.

Charges may be preferred against the Democratic umpire, James F. Byrnes, of South Carolina, who had a rabbit's foot in his pocket, and Republican ball players charge a loaded half-dollar, also.

The game, played for charity, really was decided by the umpires. William W. Wilson, Republican, of Illinois, did all he could to stem the tide of party defeat, but on all close decisions, when infuriated members of both parties crowded on the field and threatened riot, the only solution was for Byrnes and Wilson to resort to the loss of a coin. Byrnes had the coin, and did the tossing. Byrnes won every time.

"You are Safe," he invariably ordered, reversing the decision of the Republican umpire. Thus were the fates with the Democrats, although they had no such gilt-edged ball players on their team as the Hon. Nicholas Longworth, of Ohio.

Longworth, short-stop for the Republican team, and its captain, played like a fiend in the field, and pounded out two two-baggers and a home run. The ball he knocked for a home run was stolen by a canal boat in the river, who found it in the canal below the Heights of Georgetown, upon which the game was played.

In the third inning—there were only four innings, because another would have meant physical defeat for all concerned — Representative Webb, of North Carolina, had been neatly caught at first base, but in his desperation, he had knocked down Representative Slemp, who was guarding the bag. Umpire Wilson called him out.

"Stay where you are," shouted Umpire Byrnes, as he ran forward — "Swallow no such Republican dictation. He thinks he is Joe Cannon."

Then there was a conflict of tongues and some serious threats which startled the audience of Washington's social and Congressional circus, until it was agreed to toss the coin on the proposition that the coin be the umpire's. The Democrats won.

Again, when Representative Murray, Democrat, of Massachusetts, had slethered to second base, and being touched out by Representative Kendall, Republican, of Iowa, Umpire Wilson called him out. Byrnes again ordered him not to stir from his position of party regularity and to sit on the lid.

Another near-riot and another toss of the coin, and again the Democrats had won, and three more runs crossed the plate.

It was a lurid game, while it lasted, the gopher battery—Miller and Anderson, of Minnesota, carrying off the honors for the losers, and Webb and Kinkead, of New Jersey, officiating for the Democrats.

Others who participated for the Republicans were Lafferty, Oregon, center field; Slemp, Virginia, first base; Porter, Pennsylvania, who made three hits, third base; Reyburn, of Pennsylvania, left field, and Farr, of Pennsylvania, right field.

Supporting the Democratic battery were Harrison, Mississippi, third base; Reilly, Connecticut, who lasted one inning, and McDermott, Illinois, first base; Carter, Oklahoma, second base; D. Driscoll, New York, left field; Garrett, Tennessee, center field, and Scully, New Jerdsey, right field. Scully knocked a home run, the ball landing in Congressman Copley's automobile.

SENATE ON STATEHOOD BILL.

Measure Will Probably be Voted on in Few Days.

Washington, Aug. 7.—With the recall of Judges Provision, of the Arizona Constitution, as the principal issue, the Senate took up today for final action the bill for the admission of New Mexico and Arizona into Statehood. By previous agreement the bill will be voted on before the close of this "legislative day," whic.., however, may be extended by recesses for several days. Indications tonight are that the vote will be reached tomorrow. The test will come on the Nelson amendment to the House bill, the former allowing New Mexico to become a State with its constitution unchanged, while Arizona must strike out the provision by which judges can be recalled. The House bill requires that the voters of Arizona shall take a vote on the judicial recall question before the territory is admitted, while in New Mexico an effort must be made by vote to change the constitution adopted so as to make it easier of amendment.

Vigorous speeches in opposition to the recall of judges were made today by Senators Root, of New York; Borah, of Idaho; Nelson, of Minnesota, and Crawford, of South Dakota, while Senator Poindexter, of Washington, defended it, declaring that the people of a State should have the right to say what sort of a constitution they desired, provided it is not in conflict with the National Constitution.

London, Aug. 7.—A vote of censure of the government for having obtained from the king a pledge to create, if necessary, sufficient peers to pass the veto bill, was rejected by the House of Commons tonight by a majority of 119. The motion was introduced by Arthur J. Balfour, leader of the opposition, and its defeat is regarded as having failed to improve the Unionist cause.

DEADLOCK HALTS ACTION ON BILLS

Senator LaFollette and Chairman Underwood Disagree on Measures.

TARIFF LEGISLATION HELD-UP

Differences Over Wool and Farmers' Free List Bills—House Will Not Accept Senate Figures—Congress Situation.

Washington, Aug. 7.—Senator LaFollette and Chairman Underwood of the House Ways and Means Committee, which has undertaken to reconcile the differences between the House and Senate on the wool and the farmers free list bills for the full conference committee are in an unquestioned deadlock, with the possibility of remaining so and thus forcing an adjournment of the session without final action on either of those measures.

The tie up is due to the uncompromising position of Mr. LaFollette in opposition to the House bill. He has told Mr. Underwood that a reduction of the rates below those fixed by the bill as it passed the Senate is an impossibility and in response Mr. Underwood , who had great difficulty in getting an agreement by the House to the rates fixed in his bill, has said that the House never will consent to accept the Senate figures.

Mr. LaFollette's contention is that the Senate rates constitute a reduction of about three-fourths of the difference between the rates of the Payne-Aldrich law and those of the House bill; that it is impossible to go lower and hold anything like all the progressive Republicans and that it is better for the Democrats to take a half loaf than get nothing in the way of tariff bread.

Mr. Underwood did not accept the Senate figures, but is quietly canvassing the House to ascertain what increase over the House rates may be possible. He has told some of his friends that the House might be persuaded to "meet the Senate half way" but the progressive leader merely smiled in response to suggestions of this character. He told Mr. Underwood that the difference was with his party friends rather than with himself, and they sustained him in the statement.

The difficulties pertain entirely to the wool bill. An agreement on the free list could be had any time.

The deadlock has given rise to all kinds of suggestions and surmises. Accepting the tangle as inextricable, some Senators and Representatives have suggested a movement for final adjournment of the session regardless of the conference and the Senate is being sounded on that proposition. Most of the regular Republicans are willing to agree to this, as are some of the Democrats. Included in the latter list are those Southern Senators who would like to see the further consideration of the cotton bill postponed until next session. They would welcome any exigency that would carry cotton over. The cotton bill is unquestionably playing a part in the conference. The insurgent Republicans and some of the Democrats, who strongly favor cotton legislation appreciate the impossibility of holding a quorum of Congress in Washington after final action on the wool bill. They take the position that the only safe guard for the cotton belt is to keep wool back until after the cotton bill is reported and a day fixed for a vote. The power to so hold the cotton measure rests with the conferees, but they do not admit that they are acting from this motive.

Senator LaFollette told some of his Senatorial associates on the conference committee today that the outlook for agreement was somewhat brighter. He said also that while the full conference committee might be called together any day, a week might elapse before a meeting would be desired by the sub-committee.

Mr. Underwood tonight said he "believed the free list bill would be sent to the President."

TRAGIC DEATH AT ANDERSON.

Lady Superintendent of Hospital Was Victim of Burns.

Anderson, S. C., Aug. 7.—Miss Mabel C. Thompson, superintendent of the county hospital, died tonight from burns received while testing a kerosene lamp this afternoon. Miss Josie Moffett, a nurse, and Charles Barnes, a negro orderly, also were seriously burned when they went to the assistance of Miss Thompson.

The lamp which exploded was used in the sterilizing machine at the hospital and when it failed to work, Miss Thompson attempted to pump air into it. The explosion threw the burning kerosene over the young woman from head to foot, some of the gas and blaze being swallowed.

Juarez, Mexico, Aug. 7.—The police of this city have unearthed a liberal plot having for its object the promotion of a new armed movement in the northern part of the State of Chihuahua. Ynocenzo Usguiano was arrested today and on his person was found papers which may lead at once to the arrest of several more conspirators.

BITTER ATTACK ON TOWNSEND

Charges Brought Against Congressman by Commissioner of Fisheries Bowers—Result of the Seal Inquiry.

Washington, Aug. 7.—A stormy scene was provoked before the House Committee on Department of Commerce and Labor Expenditures today by the reading of a letter from Commissioner of the Fisheries Bowers, assailing Representative Townsend, of New Jersey "as a tool of a dangerous besmircher of character" in connection with charges of official sanction of unlawful seal slaughter.

Mr. Townsend's resolution brought on the inquiry into the charges.

Mr. Bowers' letter, addressed to Chairman Rothermel, of the committee, charged that Mr. Townsend had endeavored "to sustain and justify" before the committee "forged, fictitious and libellous matter" that he offered such matter "with the deliberate purpose of concealing the seal facts," and that he "permitted himself to be made the tool of an unscrupulous manipulator of records, a dangerous besmircher of character."

When Mr. Bowers read his letter, Mr. Rothermel demanded to know whether Secretary Nagel had sanctioned such charges. When direct answer was refused, the chairman threatened to call the sergeant-at-arms as the meeting was in disorder. Mr. Townsend's colleagues have asked him to reply to the commissioner from the floor of the House.

Nagel Upholds Bowers.

Chicago, Aug. 7.—"It is not necessary for me to sanction the charges brought by Mr. Bowers," declared Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel, who passed through here today on his way to Houghton, Mich. "Elliott instigated the charges brought against the Commissioner of Fisheries, and as Mr. Bowers is chief of that department, he is entirely within his rights when he takes the witness stand and defends himself without seeking my approval.

"Furthermore," continued Mr. Nagel, "Mr. Bowers is a presidential appointee. This is another good reason why he should go ahead and defend himself without my sanction.

"Of course, I cannot say offhand that I approved of Bowers' charges against Townsend, because I have not sufficient time in which to go over the matter. However, I expect to be back in Washington Friday, when I expect to testify before the committee myself."

CAROLINIAN MURDERS MAN.

Albert G. Butler, of Concord, Killed Sweetheart's Brother at St. Louis.

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 7.—A special received here tonight from St. Louis, Mo., states that Albert B. Butler, of Concord, N. C., today shot and killed a young man named Walsh, one of three brothers of Butler's sweetheart, Miss Nellie Walsh, whom he was courting.

Differences growing out of the religious affiliations of the two families, Butler says, caused the trouble. The Walsh's are Catholics and Butler is a Methodist. He sought to proselyte the girl to his faith and her brothers resented it and picked a quarrel with Butler. The latter says he only intended to wound his adversary. Butler fled to the home of his pastor and then gave himself up.

FATAL WRECK ON C. C. & O.

Engineer Crushed to Death When Freight Engine Turns Over.

Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 7.—A monster 200-ton engine on the Carolina Clinchfield & Ohio Railroad refused to take a curve near Penland, N. C., early today and before the engineer could work the reverse throttle the engine had turned over and down an embankment into the river. Engineer John McCarthy, formerly of Lynchburg, Va., was pinned underneath and died instantly. Fireman Aable, who was hurled into the stream and managed to get out, sustained a broken rib, sprained foot and painful bruises. The locomotive was pulling freight cars, which, however, remained on the track.

OUTLINES.

Mrs. Edith Gambier, the former atlanta society girl, lost her fight for separation from her husband, the New York bank cashier, in a decision handed down by the State Supreme Court yesterday. The action for annulment of the marriage is now pending in the courts——Chairman Underwood and Senator LaFollette, of the Ways and Means Committee, are deadlocked as to acceptance of the tariff revision bills. It is probable that action on the wool and farmers' free list bills will be deferred——Professor Cox, of Chicago, who has been spending some time in North Carolina, in an interview yesterday spoke of the wonderful agricultural possibilities in this State ——President Taft yesterday made an appeal to the American people for their moral influence with the Senate to ratify the treaties with European countries and Central America.

New York markets: Money on call, steady, at 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent.; ruling rate, 2 3-8; closing bid, 2 1-4; offered at 2 3-8. Flour was firmly held with a fair trade. Wheat, strong; No. 2, new, 95 1 4, elevator, and 97 f.o.b. afloat. Corn, spot, easy; No. 2, 70 1-2, elevator, domestic basis, to arrive, and export, No. 2, 70, f.o.b. afloat. Oats, spot, easy; standard white, 46 1-2; No. 2, 47. Rosin and turpentine, quiet. Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands, 12.75; middling gulf, 13.00.

WARM TIME MARKS LORIMER INQUIRY

Personal Encounter Between Attorneys Narrowly Averted.

BECKEMEYER ON THE STAND

Attorney Required Witness to Admit He Lied—Healy and Hanecy Talked Sharp to Each Other—Features.

Washington, Aug. 7.—What promised for a few moments to be a personal encounter between Attorney Elbridge Hanecy, representing Senator Lorimer, and Attorney John J. Healy, of counsel for the Senate Lorimer Committee, marked the close today of a long cross examination of H. J. C. Beckemeyer, former State representative, who claims he received $1,000 after voting for Lorimer for Senator.

The clash between counsel occurred when Mr. Healy accused Mr. Hanecy with having "the very purpose of confusing the record and those who will read it."

He was speaking of Mr. Hanecy's questions regarding testimony Beckemeyer gave Saturday concerning his statement two years ago to officials in Cook county that he knew nothing of interest to the grand jury relating to corruption in the Legislature.

"If the gentleman means what he says, I desire to brand it in the manner it deserves to be branded," shouted Mr. Hanecy jumping to his feet and facing the committee's attorney. Mr. Healy declared he could tell whether Mr. Hanecy was asking about Beckemeyer's testimony Saturday or about the truth contained in the statement two years ago.

Beckemeyer said he could not understand, either. As a result Chairman Dillingham conducted the examination on the point himself.

Repeatedly Mr. Hanecy required the witness to admit that he lied when he declared before he confessed to the Cook county grand jury to receiving money; that he had not received money and knew nothing about corruption in the Legislature. Finally he appealed to the committee to be excused from answering similar questions. Chairman Dillingham ruled that after the witness had testified three or four, or five times that he lied, it was not necessary for counsel to require the witness to characterize the kind of lies he told. The chairman expressed "patience" that the examination should be drawn out by such insistence.

Throughout Beckemeyer remained firm in declaring he received money for voting for Lorimer and exclaimed that he asked to be given the privilege of making a "clean breast of the whole matter," before the grand jury because he did not want an indictment brought against him, just at the time when his wife was in the hospital.

ADMIRAL TOGO SPEAKER.

Japanese Naval Hero Guest of Press Club in Washington.

Washington, Aug. 7.—A brief speech, the first he has made since his stay in this country, was made by Admiral Count Togo before the National Press Club of Washington tonight.

The admiral spoke in Japanese, his remarks being interpreted by Lieut. Commander Taniguchi, his naval aide.

He said: "Since my arrival in this country, the President of this great Republic has received me with the greatest honor and hospitality, your government has extended to me innumerable courtesies and your fellow citizens have given me the most hearty welcome. All these, I dare say, are more than I am entitled to, and I take them as meant toward by august sovereign and for his subjects. Nothing pleases me more than to take home the most happy remembrances of my visit to the United States.

"Gentlemen, may I ask to take this opportunity to convey to your countrymen on behalf of myself, my feeling of profound gratitude and high appreciation of their hearty welcome."

Annapolis, Md., Aug. 7.—Admiral Count Togo, Japan's foremost naval officer, today inspected the grounds and buildings of the United States Naval Academy here. His visit was in the nature of a marathon tour, for his programme made possible only a hasty walk and the most casual observation. In three hours, however, he saw the entire group of buildings and declared the place where future naval officers of the United States are trained, to be a most complete and comprehensive institution.

The party lunched at the house of Superintendent John H. Gibbons. The latter offered a toast to the Emperor of Japan and Admiral Togo responded with one to the President of the United States. Then in a broken English, but intelligible, the admiral toasted the Japanese graduates of the United States Naval Academy who are now serving in the Japanese fleet and who, the admiral hoped, "would strengthen the link of friendship between the United States and Japan."

The admiral and party later returned to Washington.

"For those who know a good cigar" —Hoffman House—formerly a 10c value, now 5c at Gerken Tobacco Co., only. **

OLD NORTH STATE GETS BOOST

Chicago Professor Says Agricultural Possibilities Are Wonderful—Scheme to Aid Mountain Slope Fruit Growers.

Chicago, Aug. 7. — Prof. Henry J. Cox, weather forecaster here, returned today from a survey of the North Carolina fruit belt. He brought word of a new scheme promulgated by the Weather Bureau to help settle North Carolina mountain slopes. The plan includes telling prospective settlers how they can make a living there and supplying them with a system of weather forecasts.

The main purpose of the survey made by Professor Cox, who was assisted by W. M. Hutt, State horticulturist, was to designate sites for the location of weather forecasting stations to warn fruit growers of the mountainous sections of the periodic frosts, which occur in those regions.

"There are wonderful agricultural possibilities in North Carolina," said Professor Cox. "In many sections in which conditions are almost ideal for fruit raising there has been little or no development."

Professor Cox said the lazy type of the Carolina mountaineers are being replaced by energetic fruit growers

BUSY FIRST MONDAY.

Robeson Boards Meet at Lumberton—More Rains—Other Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., Aug. 7.—This has been a busy day here in several ways. The Board of County Commissioners, the Board of Education and Board of Road Supervisors were in session, some of the meetings lasting until nearly 6 o'clock.

Mr. J. F. Skammel, who arrived here last week to try to remedy the defects in hearing in the court room of the Court House, was called upon this morning by the chief of police for $5 privilege tax——A force of men engaged in excavating for the purpose of putting waterworks into a private residence were stopped this afternoon. They were going through the grounds of the Gospel Tabernacle property without having obtained permission—This section was visited by refreshing showers this afternoon.

It was announced by a flaring banner carried by a colored boy accompanied by a large cow bell, late this evening, that there would be a dance at the Waverly. The banner read: "Dance tonight at Waverly, led by "Skunk" Nash, "Tank" Skipper and V. and C. S. Carter. Come All." The banner caused no end of amusement, when it appeared on the street, but the party who sent it out has not been located. It is supposed that he was overlooked when the invitations were sent out, and decided to issue a general invitation to everybody.

A young couple went to the Court House this evening about 5:30 and asked for license to be married at once. They could find no one by whom they could prove their ages, and there being some doubt about their being old enough, the request was not granted. They said they lived out about Raynham and would return tomorrow with credentials.

Work began today tearing down the store building between the post office and the Pope Drug Co., for the past ten years occupied by Mr. C. B. Redmond's parlor grocery. A new and better structure will be erected.

Mr. Steele, the contractor, who is paving the sidewalks on Elm street, from 6th to 14th, estimates that his work has been damaged at least $75 tonight by people walking on it. There seems to be no excuse for this, as the sidewalk where the work was done today was blocked when the men knocked off work at 7 o'clock. At train time tonight Mr. Steele is hunting his workmen to try to get the damage repaired while the work is fresh.

ANOTHER McCABE LETTER.

To Chief Chemist Wiley Brought Out at the Inquiry.

Washington, Aug 7.—A second sharp letter from Solicitor McCabe to Chief Chemist Wiley, both of the Department of Agriculture for failure to make wholesale prosecution of "cure all" patent medicines and other acts tending to show McCabe's growing control of the whole administration of the pure food law were brought out at today's hearing of McCabe before the House Investigating Committee. It was contended by counsel that while McCabe was sobrating Wiley, McCabe himself knew he had power to invoke the law against these interests.

Mr. McCabe said Dr. Wiley explained that he did not want to antagonize Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, who had overruled him on the Remsen board's advice, had written him that the Indiana authorities wanted to take the depositions of himself and his assistants who had conducted the famous "poison squad" experiments, from which they determined that benzoate of soda was a harmful preservative in food. McCabe expressed the opinion that Wiley and his associates could not be summoned "as experts."

QUIET AT PORT-AU-PRINCE.

General LeConte's Forces Assume Control of the Capital.

Washington, Aug. 7.—Contrary to expectations, the entry of General LeConte's forces, 300 strong, into Port-au-Prince, Haiti, today, was compassed quietly and there was no need to land American blue jackets. United States naval officers were fully prepared to take that step in the event of trouble.

Minister Furniss also reported today that the followers of General Firmin weakened and permitted the army of LeConte to advance on the capital without opposition.

TAFT MAKES PLEA FOR THE TREATIES

Appeals to People of the Nation to Use Their Influence With Senate.

TALKS ABOUT CENTRAL AMERICA

Spoke to Chautauqua of Methodist Church in Maryland—Various Features of Peace Pacts Brought Out—Object.

Mountain Lake Park, Md., Aug. 7.—President Taft traveled 400 miles through Maryland and West Virginia today by special train to appeal to the people of the United States to use their moral influence to have the Senate ratify the British and French arbitration treaties and the treaties with Nicaragua and Honduras. His appeal was made direct to the Mountain Lake Park Chautauqua of the Methodist Episcopal Church, but in it the President included the rest of the nation as well.

"I observe," said the President, "that there is some suggestion that by ratifying this treaty, the Senate may in some way abdicate its function of treaty making. I confess myself unable to perceive the substance in such a point.

"To have these treaties not ratified by the Senate of the United States, or to have any hesitation and discussion of a serious character in respect to them, would halt the movement toward general peace which has made substantial advance in the last ten years. To secure the ratification of the treaties therefore, appeal must be made to the moral sense of the nation and while that is not entirely in the keeping of the church and certainly they may exert a powerful influence in the promotion of any effective instrumentality to secure permanent peace."

Leaving the arbitraries behind the President asked for the same sort of popular support of the treaties with Honduras and Nicaragua.

"There is no issue before the Senate so acute in respect to the cause of peace as the confirmation of these Central American treaties," said the President. "While I admit the greater importance of the universal treaties of arbitration in the long run, and as affecting the world at large, yet in respect of American interests, in respect of peace in this hemisphere, they are not equal in importance to the confirmation of these Central American treaties."

In making his plea for the Central American convention, the President highly praised former President Roosevelt. He spoke of the tendency of the United States to extend the helping hand to less powerful people and instanced Mr. Roosevelt's intervention in Cuba.

That tendency was evidenced also, he said, "by the wonderfully successful intervention by Theodore Roosevelt as President of the United States, in securing peace between Russia and Japan."

The President left Washington at 8 o'clock with a car load of Baltimore & Ohio Railroad officials along to help run the special. He spent just an hour in Mountain Lake Park, leaving for Washington at 3 o'clock. His address was made to several thousand people. The President said in part:

"I have been surprised to note with what fervor the plain people of every nation welcome the proposal of universal arbitration not because their interest in the practical adoption of the plan is not greater than all other classes in the community, but because it is a somewhat abstruse cause, in the success of which they might not be expected to take an immediate interest. Of course, in a war it is the common people that have to bear most of the suffering. They have to pay most of the taxes, they have to do most of the fighting, and they secure the least benefit and the least glory."

The treaties the President proceeded to say, provided that every question of a justifiable nature should be submitted to a tribunal of arbitration and that they defined what justifiable means.

"It is an issue between the nations that can be properly settled upon the principles of law and equity, as those are understood in law and international law," he said. "They are, of course, questions of policy with respect to which each nation must exercise its own discretion and in doing so is entirely within its legal and equitable right, and however its action may affect the other nation, it is the proper subject of controversy. The machinery provided will practically dispose of every question so far as it is a war-inducing issue.

"The treaty may be called almost a treaty not only to avoid war, but even to avoid arbitration for it is only in the last instance, after the commission shall have failed in a year's time to suggest a satisfactory solution, that even a reason is to be resorted to.

"By this treaty, if it is ratified, the executive and the Senate, representing the United States, agree to settle all their differences as described in the treaty, by arbitration or through a commission.

"Should the treaty be ratified, the Senate, exactly as the executive, will be in honor bound by its obligations, in good faith to perform the offices

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SPORTING NEWS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Pittsburg, 2; Philadelphia, 1.
At Cincinnati, 8; Boston, 2.
At Chicago, 8; New York, 6.
At St. Louis, 4; Brooklyn, 3.

Sunday Games.

At Cincinnati, 7; Philadelphia, 6.
Second: Cincinnati, 3; Philadelphia, 1.
At Chicago, 1; Brooklyn, 6.
At St. Louis, 9; Boston, 0.
Second: St. Louis, 1; Boston, 5.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	58	36	.617
Pittsburg	58	39	.598
New York	57	39	.593
Philadelphia	56	41	.577
St. Louis	55	43	.561
Cincinnati	43	53	.448
Brooklyn	37	60	.381
Boston	33	76	.232

Cincinnati, Aug. 7.—Mattern was easy for the locals today, Cincinnati knocking him out of the box in the third inning. Perdue also was ineffective. Smith pitched good ball at all stages.

Cincinnati .....031 010 03x—8 11 1
Boston .....000 002 000—2 8 1

Smith and Clarke; Perdue, Mattern and Kling; time 1:50; umpires Rigler and Finneran.

St. Louis, Aug. 7.—St. Louis won a hard fought game from Brooklyn this afternoon 4 to 3. The locals started the scoring, getting two runs in the first inning. Brooklyn tied it in the third, St. Louis went ahead in the fourth.

Brooklyn .....002 010 000—3 7 2
St. Louis .....200 110 00x—4 6 2

Schardt, Scanlon and Bergen; Steele and Bliss and Bresnahan; time 2:07; umpires Eason and Johnstone.

Chicago, Aug. 7.—Jot Tinker, re-instated Chicago shortstop, returned to the game with a vengeance today and was largely responsible for Chicago's victory over New York 8 to 6. He faced Mathewson four times for two singles, a double and a triple. He also stole home while Mathewson was winding up to deliver the ball. He made three runs and his batting drove in four runs.

Chicago .....010 022 03x—8 10 3
New York .....000 100 122—6 13 3

Brown and Archer; Mathewson and Myers; time 2:00; umpires O'Day and Emslie.

Pittsburg, Aug. 7.—Pittsburg today defeated Philadelphia 2 to 1 in an extremely close game. Chalmers allowed only three hits, but gave six bases on balls, two of which developed into runs. Both were scored by Carey. Adams was strong from start to finish.

Pittsburg .....000 100 010—2 3 2
Philadelphia ....001 000 000—1 8 2

Adams and Gibson; Chalmers and Moran; time 1:55; umpires Klem and Brennan.

Eastern League.

At Baltimore 6; Montoreal 0.
At Jersey City 1; Rochester 3.
At Providence 8; Buffalo 7. (11 innings.)
At Toronto 3; Newark 1.
2nd: Newark 1; Toronto 2. (13 innings.)

Southern League.

At Nashville-Mobile, rain.
At Chattanooga-Montgomery, not scheduled.
At Birmingham 3; Atlanta 2.
2nd: Birmingham 4; Atlanta 1.
At New Orleans 5; Memphis 2.

South Atlantic League.

At Savannah 2; Columbus 3.
At Columbia 5; Jacksonville 4.
At Charleston 1; Albany 2.
At Macon 5; S. A. L. 3.

American Association.

At St. Paul-Milwaukee, rain.
At Minneapolis 0; Kansas City 1.
At Columbus 2; Indianapolis 3.
At Toledo 0; Louisville 2.

Virginia League.

At Danville 3; Roanoke 5.
At Lynchburg 15; Richmond 4.
At Norfolk 2; Petersburg 1.

Carolina League.

At Greenville 6; Greensboro 1.
At Winston-Salem 2; Anderson 1.
At Charlotte 1; Spartanburg 3.

Appalashian League.

At Johnson City 11; Knoxville 0.
At Morristown 1; Asheville 6.
At Bristol-Cleveland, rain.

NEBRASKA TENNIS EVENT.

Two Virginia Players Participate—Winners Named.

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 7.—There was not a single upset in the preliminary and first rounds which were played today in the National Clay court championship tennis tournament at the Omoha Field Club.

Cannon, of Kansas City; Sweet, of Des Moines; McQuislan, of New Orleans; Shelton and H. McQuislan, of Texas; Siverd Anderson and Rendell, of Pittsburg; Drummond Jones and Hoerr, of St. Louis; Hayes and Fisher, of Chicago; Whitehead and Winston, of Norfolk, Va.; Branson and Barter, of South Dakota, and Hadley, of Sioux City, were among the winners who go in the second round tomorrow.

Tomorrow an interesting match in the second round will be that between Drummond Jones and Winston, which will eliminate one of the leading contestants for championship honors.

Pittsburg practically has been decided upon for the next cloy court tournament.

Try the Eucalypti Pipe.

In South Africa, where many species of Australian eucalypti have been successfully naturalized, a curious use has been made of the cones of the red gum tree. These are of fair size and when the seeds have been shaken out resemble a cup in shape. It occurred to some ingenious person that the cones would make very good pipe bowls. A hole was bored in the base of the cone and a piece of slender bamboo selected. When the two portions were joined together a very serviceable and novel pipe was the result. An experienced smoker declares the eucalyptus pipe to be very agreeable in use, as the natural fragrance of the cone imparts a delicate fragrance to the flavor of the tobacco. —From the Scientific American.

Good Advice.

Rub elbows with the least of the world's people, if you would quicken your brain and soften your heart.—Exchange.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Washington, 1; St. Louis, 0.
Second: Washington, 6; St. Louis, 13.
At Philadelphia, 2; Chicago, 0.
Second: Chicago, 2; Philadelphia, 3.
At New York, 6; Detroit, 7.
At Boston, 3; Cleveland, 8.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	65	35	.650
Detroit	65	36	.644
Boston	53	50	.515
New York	51	50	.505
Chicago	50	50	.500
Cleveland	52	52	.500
Washington	39	63	.382
St. Louis	31	70	.307

Philadelphia, Aug. 7.—Philadelphia today defeated Chicago in two games of 14 to 10 innings, the scores being 2 to 1 and 3 to 2. The first game was a pitching duel between Scott and Bender. Neither team scored for 12 innings, during which Chicago got only one runner as far as second base. In the 13th inning J. Collins tripled and scored on Tannehill's single. Philadelphia tied the score on four balls to Hartsell, who batted for Bender, and B. Lord's triple. Danforth, the Texas southpaw, held Chicago down to one hit in the 14th session. Murphy scored the winning run on his single, McInnes' sacrifice, an out and Thomas' single. In his last four games at home, Bender pitched 38 consecutive innings without giving a base on balls and 34 straight innings without being scored upon. The second contest was also a battle between twirlers, Morgan and Walsh opposing each other. With two out in the third inning Philadelphia scored on Strunk's single, Tannehill's error and E. Collins' single. Chicago got two runs in the seventh session on Morgan's fumble, J. Collins' triple and Tannehill's sacrifice fly, while Livingstone scored for the home team on his single and errors by McIntyre and J. Collins. Strunk scored the winning run in the tenth on his triple and E. Collins' drive over Callahan's head.

Chicago .000 000 000 000 10—1 7 2
Phila ...000 000 000 000 11—2 5 1

Scott and Payne; Bender, Danforth and Thomas; time 2:40; umpires Evans and Egan.

Second game:

Chicago .....000 000 2000—2 5 3
Philadelphia ...001 000 1001—3 10 2

Walsh and Sullivan; Morgan and Livingstone; time 1:50; umpires Evans and Egan.

New York, Aug. 7.—Detroit began a fight here today to recover first place in the American League, and although the Tigers won the first game of the New York series, Philadelphia's double victory over Chicago kept Detroit in second place. The game was close and exciting, ending 7 to 6. Caldwell outpitched Summers and Works, but had one bare inning. In the seventh he gave only two bases on balls and Cobb, coming up with the bases filled, cleaned up with a double center. Cobb later scored the winning run on Moriarty's single.

Detroit.....1o0 020 400—8 12 3
New York .....000 420 000—6 10 0

Summers, Works and Stanage; Caldwell and Sweeney. Time: 2:03. Umpires: Mullin and O'Loughlin.

Washington, Aug. 7.—Washington and St. Louis broke even in today's double-header, the locals winning the first 1 to 0, while the second went to the visitors 13 to 6. Groom allowed only two hits in the first game, one a scratch. Gray was driven from the mound in the second inning of the second game and Cashion, who relieved him, was very wild. The hitting of LaPorte featured both contests.

Washington ....000 001 00x—1 4 1
St. Louis .....000 000 000—0 2 2

Groom and Street; Pelty and Stephens; time 1:25.

Second game:

Washington ...000 020 121— 6 13 2
St. Louis .....251 020 011—13 10 1

Gray, Cashion and Ainsmith; George and Kritchell; time 2:20; umpires Connolly and Parker.

Boston, Aug. 7.—The errors Giannini, Red Sox shortstop recruit from the Pacific coast, together with four hits including a home run by LaJoie, netted Cleveland six runs in the sixth inning and gave them the game today 8 to 3. The hitting of LaJoie featured.

Boston .....100 011 000—3 11 5
Cleveland .....100 006 010—8 13 2

Wood and Carrigan; Greeg and Fisher; time 2:11; umpires Perrine and Dineen.

Commissioner of Labor and Printing Shipman offers valuable data relative to the growth of North Carolina cities. The report shows that Charlotte leads in the number of manufacturing enterprises, having 108, and being followed by Wilmington with 64; Greensboro, 61; Raleigh, 55; Asheville, 55; Winston, 52. In general growth Raleigh leads with a percentage of 120 2-3; Charlotte is second with 85 per cent.; Asheville, 63 2-3; Winston, 41; Greensboro 22; Wilmington, 16. In the value of finished products Winston leads with $16,778,000; Charlotte shows $10,460,000; Asheville $3,250,000; Wilmington, $3,005,000; Raleigh, $2,376,000, and Greensboro, $2,032,000. In the percentage of increase in volume of products manufactured Raleigh leads with 119 per cent.; Charlotte, 116 per cent.; Aheville, 69 per cent.; Winston, 48 per cent.; Greensboro, 17 per cent., and Wilmington, 3 per cent. In capital invested Winston leads with $12,856,000; Charlotte, $9,451,000; Asheville, $2,827,000; Raleigh $2,027,000; Wilmington, $2,022,000; Greensboro, $1,697,000. These figures are made up by Commissioner Shipman from the 1909 census figures and are compared with deductions from 1904.—Charlotte News.

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MATCH RACE FRIDAY.

The Queen and Montague Will Meet on Local Track.

Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the race track of the Wilmington Driving Association at Highwood Park, the race "fans" and turfmen of Wilmington and the surrounding section will have the opportunity of seeing one of the best races that has ever been witnessed in this section. This will be a match race between The Queen, owned by Dr. Morris Cladwell, of this city, and Montague, owned by Mr. Wiggins, of Dillon, S. C. These horses have been matched before—once at the Pee Dee meet, held here in July, and again at Dillon, S. C., Friday of last week. On both these occasions the Palmetto horse has won—but by so close a margin that the local horsemen are still convinced that the little Wilmington mare is by far the faster horse, and that all she needs is a little more training to enable her to redeem herself. Montague has the advantage over her of having been in racing form for some time, while The Queen did not go on the track until the middle of June. She has been showing wonderful improvement ever since and many look to her to carry away the honors Friday.

The race will be for a purse of $600 and the winner to take 75 per cent. of the gate receipts, the other 25 per cent going to the Wilmington Driving Association. It will be run in mile heats, three out of five.

In addition to the match race there will also be a number of other races among the horses now at the track, and it is expected that the events will draw a large crowd. Many of the South Carolina horsemen have signified their intention of coming up to see the match race, and it is also likely that many North Carolina race lovers will be here from nearby points.

RELIGIOUS PART IN HEALTH

It Is the Interpreter of Sickness and Death, and of Health as Well.

There is a great deal of nonsense written about religion and health; there is a great deal of sense in really connecting the two. There are a great many religious people who get sick and die. A great many irreligious people who do the same thing. It would be possible to get figures to prove anything you like in this connection. But they would not prove the truth. A clear mind, a pure heart and a cheerful spirit stand a better chance in the face of disease, than a muddy mind, a dirty heart and an ugly spirit. Health is a by-product, but a sure product of religion. But there are few of us who get religion enough to successfully combat our own foolishness in other directions. So we get sick and die. And there are many worse things than these in life. Religion is the interpreter of sickness and death, and health as well. Fearsome things are those which are not understood. Religion explains sickness and death and we can adjust ourselves to these great blessings. Religion explains health and shows how it means opportunity and obligation; that is religion clarifies all experiences, we see them as they are, adjust them to each other and ourselves to all, and such an adjustment is not far from a condition of health. Religion will not set a broken leg, but will contribute very largely to its healing, through keeping the sources of healing pure. A clean heart produces a clean mind, a clean mind insures a clean body and a clean body is conducive to health.—Universalist Leader.

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Deposited in a Savings Bank for Twenty Years, It Will Have Increased to $1,612.

"It is mighty hard," said an unfortunate workingman some time ago to the writer, "to save up a thousand dollars by laying aside a dollar or two a week and then to take it out of the savings bank and lose it to a get-rich-quick swindler, as I have just done." This poor fellow could work and save, but he had not had even a kindergarten education in finance, else his story would have been different. He had never given a thought to interest, and so was absolutely ignorant of growth through compound interest, and of course had never heard of that wonderful process of accumulation known as "progressive compound interest."

One dollar deposited in a savings bank that pays four per cent. will amount of $2.19 in twenty years. This is simple compound interest. Now if you deposit one dollar every year for twenty years, or $20 in all, the sum to your credit will have grown to $30.97. Any wage-earner can put by one dollar a week. That money deposited in a savings bank for twenty years will have increased to $1,612. A deposit of five dollars a week will have grown to $8,000, and this at four per cent. will be $320 a year. There is no secret, no mystery about this. It is clear as the cloudless sun and the method is just as clean and honest.—Christian Herald

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Motors Displacing Horses.

London takes the census of certain busy streets every year. One of the facts adduced by it is the progressive displacement of the horse drawn vehicles by those propelled by motors.

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NORTH CAROLINA, NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

Masonboro Township. Entry of Land, No. 9123.

The undersigned claimants, being citizens of the State of North Carolina, hereby set forth and show that the following tract or parcel of land, to wit: Lying and being in Masonboro Township, New Hanover county, North Carolina, and more fully described as follows, viz: Lying in the marsh of Masonboro Sound, on the South side of the main channel, and beginning at the mouth of Jennett's Creek, and running thence southwestwardly with the main channel of the Sound about four hundred and fifty (450) yards, to the mouth of Shell Bed creek; thence southwardly with the run of said creek about thirty (30) yards, to a stake; thence a northwestwardly course to the mouth of a cut, where Clap Creek empties into Jennett's; thence with Jennett's Creek to the beginning, containing three (3) acres, more or less, in vacant and unappropriated land belonging to the State of North Carolina, and subject to entry; and the undersigned claimants hereby make entry of, lay claim to and pray for a grant for said land.

J. J. PINER,
H. B. SHEPARD,
C. H. STOKLEY.

Entry filed July 14th, 1911.

JOHN HAAR,
Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker.
jy15-3od

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER — ENTRY OF LAND, NO. 8124.

To John Haar, Entry Taker of New Hanover County:

The undersigned claimant, being a citizen of the State of North Carolina, hereby sets forth and shows that the following tract of land lying and being in Harnett Township, New Hanover County, particularly described as follows:

About opposite Station No. 6, of Tidewater Power Company, on Wrightsville Beach, bounded on the north by Back Channel and Greenville Sound, on the east by Back Channel, on the south by Mud Beach, and on the west by Greenville Sound or Money Island Bay, containing about one-fourth of an acre, is vacant and unappropriated land, belonging to the State of North Carolina and subject to entry; and the undersigned claimant hereby makes entry of, lays claim to, and prays for a grant for said land.

This 1st. day of August, 1911.

A. A. HERGENROTHER,
Claimant.

Witness:
CHAS. C. LOUGHLIN.

Entered and filed Aug. 1st, 1911.

JOHN HAAR,
Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker.
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MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in two certain deeds of mortgage, made by John Woods and wife, Mattie Woods, to the North Carolina Home Building Association, recorded respectively in Book 56, page 309, and Book 58, page 277, of the records of New Hanover County, the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, on Tuesday, the 15th day of August, 1911, at twelve o'clock M., at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, N. C., the following described property, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the north side of Rankin street, 165 feet East of Wood Street; runs thence Eastwardly with the Northern line of Rankin street 33 feet; thence Northwardly, parallel with Wood street 66 feet; thence Westwardly parallel with Rankin Street 33 feet; thence Southwardly parallel with Wood Street 66 feet to the beginning.

This 15th of July, 1911.

NORTH CAROLINA HOME BUILDING ASSOCIATION.

By John D. Bellamy & Son, Attorneys.
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF LAND.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed, executed to the undesigned by C. H. Carter and his wife, A. P. Carter, on the 7th day of April, 1910, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County in Book 59, at Page 571, will, on the 15th day of August, 1911, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House door of New Hanover county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described lots or parcels of land, conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

First Tract: That certain lot of land beginning at the northeast intersection of Eighth and Orange streets, and running thence north along the eastern line of Eighth street, thirty-three (33½) feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet; thence southwardly, and parallel with Eighth street, thirty-three (33½) feet to the northern line of Orange street; thence westwardly, along the northern line of Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet, to the beginning; being the western part of Lot No. 6½, in Block No. 146, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington, N. C., and being the same lot of land conveyed by deed from P. Q. Moore and wife to said parties of the first part, bearing date the 7th day of April, 1909, and recorded in Book 58, at page 250, in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, aforesaid.

Second Tract: That certain tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Pender county, State aforesaid, adjoining the lands of Giles Bryant and others, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake near a large sweet gum in the edge of a branch on the line of the W. & W. Railroad Company's lands, and runs south 58 east, about 12 poles, to a large pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's two tracts; thence with said line south 58 east, 23 poles, to a maple stump; thence south 20 east, 24 poles, to a pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's land; thence south 20 east, 20 poles, to a stake on the side of a ditch; thence about north 67½ edst, 22 poles, to an old pine stump; thence south 46 east, 26 poles, to a stake near a black gum in a meadow; thence south 54 east, 16 poles, to a lightwood stump and small pine; thence south 45 east, about 12 poles, to a stake in a meadow, a corner of the Morris Tate lands; thence north 40 east, 34 poles, to a small pine in the run of Williamson's Branch; thence up the run of said brinch north 69 east, 36 poles, to the head of said branch, a black gum; thence north about 53 west, about 120 poles, to a stake in the Railroad Company's line (the old James' corner); thence with said Railroad Company's line south 19 west, about 71 poles, to the beginning; containing forty-five and one-half (45½) acres, more or less.

Third Tract: Situate, lying and being in Bladen county, North Carolina, on or near Lyon Swamp, adjoining Haywood Corbett and others, beginning at a pine with 9 pines and two black oak pointers, and runs thence south 12 east, 2,850 feet to a stake; thence south 64 east, 1,380 feet to a stake; thence north 20 east 1,419 feet to a pine and pine pointers; thence north, 26 west, 2,244 feet to a stake; thence north 83 west, 900 feet, to the beginning, containing one hunded (100) acres, more or less, and being part of the tract of land conveyed to the parties of the first part by Max Meyers.

This, the 8th day of July, 1911.

E. G. CARRIER, Mortgagee.
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DOINGS AT NATIONAL CAPITAL

Underwood-Bryan Tilt—The "Peerless" Is Now Discredited—Togo and His Reception at Washington—Other News Notes of Interest.

Washington Star Bureau
Congress Hall.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 7.—The closing days of the extra session of Congress are interesting. First one sensation after another breaks to make the newspaper men scurry. One week the Dick-toDick letter had the right of way, but the next that had to give way to the Wickersham-Wickersham (the Wick-to-Wick) affair. Soon both the Dick-toDick and the Wick-toWick controversies got the kick-to-kick and were followed by the Underwood-to-Bryan affair.

I have not lived in vain. Three times I voted for the Nebraska Populist under protest, because I wanted to stay with my party, but never did I witness anything that delighted me more than the drubbing Oscar W. Underwood, the Democratic leader and idol, gave William Jennings Bryan, the 17-year dreamer, the busy meddler and all-round Democratic burden.

Mr. Underwood has developed rapidly as leader of the House. His growth has not been spontaneous, however, but regular and continuous. He has been considered for years able, practical and suave but John Sharp Williams, David A. DeArmond, Champ Clark and others overshadowed him on the floor of the House. Recently he has come into his own. Step by step he advances toward the top of the ladder.

Mr. Underwood is the first real leader of Democrats that has shown the courage to swat the Nebraskan whenever he deserved it.

How things have changed! One morning, in 1908, Representative Leake, of New Jersey, roasted Bryan on the floor of the House. For his pains he was hissed and hooted down. In 1909 Representative Clark of Florida, received like treatment at the hands of the Democrats. Wednesday, the Democrats of the House, almost to a man, applauded and congratulated Mr. Underwood.

William Jennings Bryan is a jealous man. He has tried to hammer down every Democrat that promised anything. In Governor Harmon, of Ohio, he sees Democratic hope. In Governor Johnson, of Minnesota, he saw a dangerous rival. Both he branded as trust-tainted. He tried to put a brand on Oscar W. Underwood. The worm turned and the one that treaded upon his back was stung.

The people like an able, capable, aggressive man of courage and convictions. Oscar Underwood is that sort of citizen. He knows how, when and where to hit and is not afraid to do it. Other men have been scorned, read out of the party and slandered by the Peerless one but they did not have the sand in their gizzards to strike back. Reading Democrats out of the party is one of the favorite pastimes of Bryan and Bryanites. North Carolina is afflicted with some of the latter. If a Democrat has left undone something that the whip-users think he should have done he is immediately set upon and hounded. Marion Butler was elevated to office by the loyal band of Populists that stood by him until he quit them because of the hue and cry raised against him. The hue and cry against Furnifold M. Simmons and William Walton Kitchin is eliminating Judge Clark and Governor Aycock from the Senatorial race. If it is kept up there will be but two in at the finish. North Carolinians clothed in their right minds, will not go at the crack of the dictator's whip. They are not made of that sort of clay.

Bryan has ceased to be a Boss. Oscar W. Underwood knocked the last prop from under him.

When Bryan refused to vote for the Democratic nominee for Governor of his State last year he queered himself with his Southern friends. Party irregularity is almost a crime in the South. Bryan is guilty of more than one offence.

Admiral Togo, the Japanese sea fighter that put the Russians on the bling at Tsushima, is not a bad looking chap. He is short, almost what the North Carolina school voy calls ducky, but there is something solid about him. A little bunch of scraggy whiskers make him duckier than he would be without them.

Togo is just the sort of man to appeal to the imagination of the American. He has fought and won a good fight, and his country likes the fellow who goes to the top, and that is where Togo went before he stopped. He shot the Russian navy to pieces and frightened the other great nations of the world into proper respect for the Japs.

I saw Mr. Togo at the White House last Saturday. President Taft invited me there to see him. Several thousands others were also invited but I consider it an honor to be asked to President Taft's home, where hospitality is dispensed at irregular intervals.

President Taft and Togo, the mountain and the mole hill as it were, stood shoulder to shoulder in the East Room and welcomed the guests.

"I am glad to see you," said Mr. Taft, as he took my hand in his. "Ooh Hoo," said Togo.

Both seemed glad, so I guess Togo meant the same thing that the President said.

I was accompanied by a pretty, sprightly auburn haired girl and Messrs. Taft and Togo gave her the same greeting, but at the sight of the rich auburn locks, and the bright eyes Togo added: "Hee hee, wee wee."

"Isn't he cute, with his sharp little eyes?" said the young lady.

"Yes, very and I think that he thinks you are too." My chaperone smiled; she knew what Togo meant. Men do not have to talk to make women understand.

Everybody liked Togo. He was so pleasant, so amiable looking, and so modest.

Congressman Wyatt Aiken, who is the strangest man in Congress, save perhaps Theron Aiken, the Independent from New York, carried a Japanese fan to the reception. He told Togo that the fan was his card. Togo, who understands English but does not use it, laughed, and bowed.

The best looking man at the Togo reception was Major Charles M. Stedman, the elegant gentleman who represents the Fifth North Carolin district in Congress.

Major Stedman would be at home with a party of admirals and admiralesses. Pity the day, and it may come, when the South quits sending men of manners, men of character and men of gentility to Washington, and instead sends joiners, panderers and scrubs, who will pass off as "typical Southern gentlemen."

H. E. C. BRYANT

WHITEVILLE NEWS.

Affairs of Interest at the Columbus County Seat.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., Aug. 7.—Editor T. Larry Gantt left Sunday morning for Chimney Rock, where he went to join Dr. J. C. Williamson, of Florence, and Messrs. J. R. Williamson and L. V. Grady, of Whiteville. They will visit the different points of interest via automobile and will be gone tbout two weeks. During his absence the News-Reporter will be edited by Mrs. Helen Gantt Mims.

Rev. F. T. Wooten has handed in his resignation as pastor of the Chadbourn Baptist Church and insists that it be accepted. Owing to a press of other business he feels that he is not physically able to fill this pulpit. Both as a man and a pastor Mr. Wooten is universally popular, and if his resignation is accepted it will be so very reluctantly.

Among the visitors in Whiteville today is Mr. E. B. Godwin, of High Springs, Fla. He is returning from a visit to Wrightsville Beach, and while here is the guest of Mrs. J. I. Williamson. This is Mr. Godwin's first visit to this section in 20 years and he stated to your correspondent that the development and progress throughout the county was much more marked than he even expected, that it seemed almost phenomenal to him. He was reared near Cerro Gordo and was also enthusiastic over his delightful stay at Wrightsville Beach.

The County Commissioners are in session but only routine business is to be transacted.

Among the county's prominent citizen in town are Messrs. G. Herbert Smith, of Cronly; K. Clyde Council, Wananish. Mr. Ed Wooten, of Clarkton, is also in town.

WRECK VICTIM DIED.

Child Injured in Smash Near Salisbury Succumbs to Injuries.

Salisbury, N. C., Aug. 6.—Richard Taylor Wilson, the 3 1-2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Clark Wilson, of New Orleans, who was injured in the wreck of Southern Railway passenger train No. 22, at Majolica, five miles west of here, Friday afternoon, died here this afternoon at 1 o'clock in the Whitehead-Stokes sanatorium. The body will be sent to Mobile, Ala., for burial. The boy's mother, who was also injured in the wreck, has so far recovered that she has been discharged from the hospital and will accompany the remains to Mobile. Mr. G. S. Taylor, the lad's grandfather, is as yet unable to leave the hospital. Mr. Wilson arrived in the city last night and will, with his wife, accompany the body to Mobile. Mr. Wilson drove out to the scene of the wreck this afternoon and viewed the demolished chair car, which was hurled down a 30-foot embankment.

The other injured at the sanatorium are steadily improving.

The railway officials are still making an investigation of the wreck, but thus far have not determined the cause. The prevailing opinion is that it was due to spreading rails.

COAST LINE EARNINGS.

Increase in Receipts But Operating Expenses Were Greater.

(Fayetteville Observer.)

While the receipts of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company for the past year, ending June 30, a statement of which has just been issued, show an increase of nearly $2,000,000, the operating expenses and taxes also increased to such an extent as to work a reduction in net receipts from those of the preceding year. The decrease is $92,488.34.

The year's receipts were $31,622,449.24, against $29,810,267.78, the prior year, a gain of $1,812,181.46. Operating expenses and taxes show a total of $21,727,786.75, an increase of $1,904,669.80 over the previous year, when they were $19,823,116.95. This makes the net receipts for the year just ended $9,894,662.49, as against $9,987,150.83 for the year ending June 30, 1910.

For the month of June, 1911, the receipts were $2,332,126.64, the operating expenses and taxes $1,849,543.96, and the net receipts $482,579.68. The figures for the same month in 1910 were: Receipts, $2,194,977.61; operating expenses and taxes, $1,628,148.63; net receipts $566,828.98.

LAD DROWNED AT TOXAWAY.

Was Canoeing on Lake When Boat Capsized—Body Recovered.

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 7.—Robert Mattheson, the 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Mattheson, of 3534 Woodlawn avenue, Chicago, Ill., who with his bother and two small sisters has been spending the Summer at Lake Toxaway, was drowned in the lake yesterday afternoon at 5:30 and was not recovered until 1 o'clock this morning.

It is said that the lad was canoeing on the lake with a friend, Mack Davis, a native of the Toxaway section, when from some cause yet unexplained the canoe capsized, both occupants being thrown into the lake. The current at this point is swift and the boy's body was carried away and disappeared before Davis, who later swam to the shore, could reach him.

Fighting Like Tigers.

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AT MONTREAT.

What Is Doing at Popular Presbyterian Mountain Retreat.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Montreat, N. C., Aug. 5.—The second period of the Summer Assembly of Presbyterians has begun under most auspicious conditions. While there was an exodus of a number of visitors on Monday, who had been here for the first period, there was full compensation in the large number of new arrivals. Judging from the letters received daily by the manager, containing requests for board, the crowd at Montreat during August will be as large as during July. Every one is delighted with the entertainment, the programme of the Assembly, the scenery, the climate and association. Especially is the restfulness of the place appreciated. The heat of the lowlands cannot be imagined at Montreat, and the large number of visitors, more than one thousand, and representing almost every State in the South, are enjoying to the utmost the altitude of 2,500 feet, with the accompaniment of freedom from heat.

The programme of the Assembly this week will include the conference on Home Missions and that on Christian Education and Ministerial Relief. A number of prominent preachers and other Christian workers will be heard during the week. The daily Bible Hour will be conducted by Rev. Theron H. Rice, D. D., of Richmond; Mrs. E. P. Bledsoe, of Charleston, W. Va., will conduct the Mission Study Class each morning; and twice each day there will be popular meetings. During the Home Mission conference there will be presentations of the work among the mountain people, among the foreigners, and among the negroes, by men of such experience as Rev. O. E. Guerrant, D. D., of Kentucky; Rev. Dunbar H. Ogden, D. D., of Atlanta; Rev. John Little, so well known on account of his successful work among the negroes in Louisville; Rev. S. W. Moore, of West Virginia; Rev. Holmes Rolston, of Virginia; Hon. Martin F. Ansel, of South Carolina. These speakers will present ably the different phases of Home Mission work, as it is being directed by Rev. S. L. Morris, D. D., Rev. Homer McMillan, D. D., and Rev. J. G. Snedecker, D. D., secretaries. The amount contributed during the past year to the Assembly's Home Missions was $129,000, and about the same amount was contributed to local Home Missions.

The conference in the interest of Christian Education and Ministerial Relief will present a programme of special interest also. This department of the work of the church is carried forward under the leadership of Rev. Henry H. Sweets, D. D., and Rev. W. E. Boggs, D. D., the secretaries, the latter having charge especially of the work of Schools and Colleges. Among the speakers who will address this conference are the following named: Rev. A. B. Curry, D. D., pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, of Memphis; Rev. Thornton Whaling, D. D., president of Columbia Theological Seminary; Rev. David J. Woods, D. D., of Blacksburg, Va.; Rev. Dr. Boggs and Rev. Dr. Sweets. The contributions to the interests of this committee during the past year were as follows: Ministerial Education, $28,715.44; Ministerial Relief, $10,678; the Assembly's Home and School, $20,720; Schools and Colleges, $3,174; Student Loan Fund, $3,263; making a total of $106,607. Special effort is being made to secure larger contributions to the fund for Ministerial Relief.

FOR BLEWITT FALLS.

Electrical Equipment Ordered From the General Electric Company.

The following from the last issue of The Electrical Review will be of interest throughout this section:

"The Yadkin River Power Company has placed an order with the General Electric Company for three 6,000-kilo-volt-ampere waterwheel driven 4,000-volt generators; five three-phase 6,250-kilovolt-ampere transformers, 4,000-100,000 volts, and four 2,500-kilo-volt-ampere transformers, 4,000-22,000 volts.

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No. 90, 12:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. (Leaves Norfolk 12:35 P. M. and Richmond 4:10 P. M.)	No. 91, ‡ 1:00 A. M.
No. 81, * 5:45 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Columbia and Asheville, Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 80, *12:00 A. M.
No. 64, ‡ 5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ‡ 6:30 P. M.
*8:00 A. M. No. 48,	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Connects at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford. Pullman Parlor Car between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, *1:40 P. M.
No. 62, ‡ 3:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 63, ‡ 12:50 P. M.
No. 59, * 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and intermediate Stations.	No. 60, * 10:15 A. M.
No. 68, x 6:45 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 69, x 10:15 A. M.
No. 43, *7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, * 9:45 A. M.
No. 57, *7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate Stations.	No. 58, * 8:30 A. M.

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Ar. New Bern, A. C. L.	9:15am	6:50pm
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Lv. New Bern, N. S. R. R.	9:30am	12:30am
Lv. Wilson, N. S. R. R.	*8:20am	*11:30pm
Lv. Washington, N. S. R. R.	10:50am	2:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N. S. R. R.	1:35pm	5:00am

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Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	6:35 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
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Tuesday, August 8, 1911.

The pity of it is that a life for a life does not always pay the toll.—New York American.

Never tell a man just what you think of him unless you are bigger than he is.—Philadelphia Record.

The road which is paved to wealth is traveled by the few. Many people start out on it and do not go very far.

Who are you for? For North Carolina or for yourself and your henchmen? let us know so we can pass on you and the noise you are making.

Atlanta seems to want a commission form of government. Atlanta should realize in time that if she has no men who know how to govern and do things, a commission government is no better than any other kind.

Admiral Togo, who arrived in Washington a few days ago, says he is much pleased with America. If he is so easily pleased as that, he would really take a lasting fancy to the country if he were to visit Wilmington and its seaside resorts.

A million wool growers are petitioning against revision of the wool schedule at the present time. The cotton manufacturers are doing the same. Any old time would find them doing the same. The time never does come for the fellow who has a cinch.

Some stress is being laid on the National Democratic platform adopted at Denver. What the thunder have we to do with back numbers like the Kansas and Denver platforms which were submitted to the people and spewed out? We are facing new issues and meeting new conditions.

If you are in favor of discriminating against North Carolina, why don't you say so and kick against what the North Carolina delegation has been doing at Washington. If you are for North Carolina, why don't you write your Senators and Congressmen and tell them that they have your support?

In Illinois the law prohibits persons on a train from taking a drink unless he or she does so in a dining car. Since there are some travelers who can't afford a ride in the dining car, people along the railroad will have to laugh when they see a fellow poke his head out of the window and defy the law.

We wouldn't give you two cents for the platforms adopted at Kansas City and Denver. They were repudiated by the American people. Show us your hand now. Talk sense with the intelligent American people and you will come very nearly winning on the political issues of the day. What the people are tired of is twaddlers and twaddleism.

On the first page of Col. Bryan's Commoner, of August 4th, is the answer of the Hon. Joseph W. Folk, of Missouri, to the avalanche of questions propounded to Presidential eligibles by the Hon. W. J. Bryan. Col. Folk answers the way Col. Bryan wanted him to answer, hence Col. Folk will at once realize that he has been up against the Hoodoo.

Says the New York Tribune (Republican): "When the Democartic party in Congress finishes its present investigations resolutions proposing similar inquiries are likely to be received with great disfavor. Nothing could have been more unprofitable than the divers investigations which the House of Representatives has ordered. The probing of the various departments at Washington has yielded nothing of consequence." This simply shows how slick Republicans are at covering up their tracks.

A SOUTHERN PLAYGROUND.

The Southern people have gotten to the point when they can afford to go away during the Summer for health and rest, for recreation and for pleasure. The fact of the business is, Southern people are in quest of just such diversion as we have in a way provided at Wrightsville Beach, and the splendid patronage of that resort for several seasons past is indicative of what we can make of it if we will but put forth the efforts. The esteemed Charlotte Observer of Sunday in speaking along this line says:

"Entirely agreeing with us that the seacoast resorts around Wilmington have a great future ahead of them, The Columbia Record laments the absence of any accommodations at the Isle of Palms but the crudest sort. At present the Isle of Palms offers no attractions other than a dip in the surf. Nevertheless, the crowds there, largely excussionists, have been larger this year than ever before The Record suggests that the Southern Railway might take over the resort, purchasing it if necessary. "There will undoubtedly within a few years," comments The Record, "be at least one great seashore resort on the South Atlantic coast in reach of the two Carolinas and Georgia. At present there is no resort that to any extent meets the needs of our people The owners of the seacoast properties capable of being developed do not seem to appreciate that a summer vacation is now within reach of Southern people as it was not twenty years ago." That is to say, there will be a Southern Atlantic City, which is what we have predicted the Wilmington seacoast region will become. We join our contemporary in regretting that more has not been done for the Isle of Palms ("Polms"); but irrespective of this neglect we cannot see for it the large destiny we have described. While there are many excellent resorts on the South Atlantic coast, some possessing really unsurpassed natural advantages, in none so much as in those near Wilmington do the factors of accessibility and enterprise, along with first-class natural advantages, unite. Wrightsville Beach is at least as accessible to South Carolina and Georgia as to North Carolina; it has a large and growing patronage from both these States. It alone is in a position to draw the crowds which draw the people and make possible the entertainments at Atlantic City. So the Atlantic City of the South, we think, will be there. It is already making such strides toward this goal that it will have arrived as durably—getting established is the whole battle for an Atlantic City—as the Atlantic City of the Jersey coast. Thereafter the time for establishing a popular resort on lines of similar magnitude anywhere near will have gone by. Other resorts will not fail to flourish increasingly, but we believe The Record really agrees with us in forecasting where the Southern Atlantic City is to be."

The esteemed and very correct Observer points out that the North Carolina seacoast affords the logical seaside resort of the South. As a matter of course The Observer has correctly stated the proposition, as it generally does. In this instance The Observer is eminently correct. Of course Wrightsville Beach, logically speaking, is the South's Atlantic City, and while it is the South's ideal Southern resort for the Summer season there is no reason why it should not appeal to the Northern people for their patronage, both Summer and Winter.

We do not know whether mosquitoes are plentiful at Atlantic City or not, but owing to the peculiar construction of the North Carolina coast there are great strips of coastal islands that are free from mosquitoes and sand flies. Wrightsville Beach is on just such an island but it is only a small part of this unequalled seaside resort territory.

We confine ourselves to Wrightsville Beach, however, because it is practically the only portion of our coast that is developed and is making a bid to become the South's playground. Naturally people are going to resorts which are more or less developed and are easily reached by the railroads of the country. In that respect Wrightsville Beach has taken precedence and it must be the logical place for Southern pleasure seekers to get for comfort and recreation.

The only mosquitoless spots on the ocean, either South or North, are the narrow sand islands which lie between the Atlantic ocean and the sounds which form our inland salt water system. These island strips are free from mosquitoes because there are no places for them to breed and if there were, the continuous ocean breezes would sweep them away. On a sand island surrounded entirely by salt water, and breezes laden with saline and ozone qualities, the mosquito is swept inward if he ever existed. Indeed, if it were possible for mosquitoes to breed in the salt marshes, he finds himself wind-driven to the mainland, leaving the sand islets free from the presence of the pest.

Of course, there are other favored sand islands like we have at Wrightsville Beach, but they are not near a city like Wilmington. They are not reached by trolley lines, and telegraph and telephone service like Wrightsville Beach. Wilmington has all these famous pre-requisites and consequently it is the South's logical play ground. Sure it is that railroads, trolley lines, hotels and other seaside resort pre-requisites could be provided along the coast, but it would cost millions of dollars to even put them on competing grounds with Wrightsville Beach.

All railroads from the South lead to Wilmington, whence the Tidewater Power Company has a trolley system that fairly snatches passengers to the only mosquitoless watering place in the country. We stood at Front and Princess streets Sunday and witnessed the arrival of hundreds of people who had not been in the city five minutes before the electric trains were carrying them on to the ocean for a day's outing. Within a few minutes they were where the breezes blow, where they disported themselves in the surf, and where the mosquito and the fly is out of commission.

Just about what Wilmington ought to do in order to make Wrightsville Beach America's playground is to build an eight-story brownstone hotel from Moore's inlet to Masonboro Inlet. Of course, it needn't really be three miles long, to start with, but if the people of the North and the South knew Wrightsville Beach like it is ,we rather think the entire seagirt island would have to be made a series of hotels.

What are we doing in Wilmington to make the most of such an unequalled asset as a mosquitoless Summer resort and a matchless Winter haven?

With her climate, ocean and sounds, Wilmington ought to be one Summer and Winter resort right after the other.

COAST LINE PUBLICITY.

The Star appreciates the value of publicity and on numerous occasions has emphasized its importance to eastern North Carolina. It is the one thing we need and when we wake up to the fact that effective publicity of our advantages and possibilities will prove to be the most powerful factor in the immediate deveolpment of the resources of this partion of the Nation's Garden Spot, we will begin to recognize the most essential thing to be done towards developing our splendid resources.

Right now publicity for this region takes precedence in all our efforts at progress and development and for that reason the Star appreciates every effort in that direction. If we are not taking steps towards utilizing the various means of securing publicity that is our fault and it is a reflection upon our intelligence, for we must certainly know that if we do not let those abroad know the opportunities that exist here we are neglecting the most effective means for development. An intense desire to attract attention and to develop is one thing and taking practicable steps to accomplish that desire is another. Knowing how is one thing and doing it in the right way right now is another.

This is all we have to say in a preliminary way to expressing the Star's appreciation of the Atlantic Coast Line's effective methods of giving the right kind of publicity to the Nation's Garden Spot. We do not hesitate to commend the enterprise and practical efforts of the Atlantic Coast Line in doing its share to develop eastern North Carolina. While we are just as fast asleep as was Sampson when he got his wool clipped by Delilah, the Atlantic Coast Line is going right ahead doing exactly what the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce and the balance of us should be engaged in. We acknowledge that the Atlantic Coast Line has got us skinned in doing at this time exactly what ought to be done.

Of course, it is the part of the Atlantic Coast Line's business to make an asset of every portion of its territory. The Atlantic Coast Line issues regular schedule folders and once upon a time it only contained information concerning the schedules, the leaving aod departing of trains. These folders circulate by the tens of thousand and they are issued every three months or whenever a change in the schedule makes it necessary. Well, the enterprising Coast Line management, appreciating this means of publicity, has been utilizing their folders for giving publicity to the various portions of their lines. The Coast Line folder for June gave publicity to its order for 15 Pacific type engines, 20 large freight engines, 20 passenger coaches, four combination mail and express cars, 1,400 box cars, 50 phosphate cars, 50 balast cars, and 20 caboose cars. The Jacksonville Times Union, noting that this large order was to be "delivered" during this Summer, said: "This large order of freight equipment, taken in connection with the extensive double tracking and bridge work going on at various points on the line, indicates that the Atlantic Coast Line proposes to keep in the front ranks of Southern railways."

The Atlantic Coast Line folder for June also contains a handsome illustration of the new Y. M. C. A. buildings at Rocky Mount and Waycross, erected by the Atlantic Coast Line as a beneficent effort in behalf of its employes. There are handsome buildings erected at a cost of $30,000 to $35,000, and they include every convenience and utility that appeals to the higher aspirations of man. How can we express our appreciation of the efforts of the Coast Line? We don't know.

The June folder also tells us that following the success of the circuits placed in operation within the past year, the Atlantic Coast Line has extended its telephone system of dispatching trains, supplementing the telegraph for this important work. Concerning both the illustrative work and the enlarged use of the telephone the Coast Line folders give due credit to the Morning Star. The Star appreciates the compliment, but the credit really belongs to the enterprising Coast Line.

The June folder of the Coast Line illustrates the railroad Y. M. C. A. buildings at Florence and Waycross, and in addition tells us of the Coast Line's success in dispatching trains by telephone, supplanting the telegraph for this important work. On the Atlantic Coast Line train dispatching service now extends from Richmond, Va., to Savannah Ga. The new equipment according to previous announcement in The Star, covering train message block service, will extend from Florence, S. C., to Savannah, Ga., extending 220 miles. The circuits are controlled by dispatching and message operators located at Charleston.

The folder just issued illustrates the handsome new union station at Tampa, Fla., and makes prominent the results of intensive farming, showing that as high as $2,207 have been netted on four acres planted in Klondyke strawberries.

The Coast Line bulletin issued in July shows that the latest crop of strawberries at Mt. Tabor sold at $7.00 a crate, and it is added that "the idea of opening the strawberry season at $8.00 per crate and closing it at $7.00 per crate is a record that leads the world."

ECONOMY OF CREOSOTING.

Various methods of preserving woods, especially such as are used in waters, have been tried, and it seems that the scientists are again turning to the creosoting process. Some years ago thousands of dollars were spent on a plant in Wilmington for the treatment of woods with the preservative qualities of the products of the North Carolina pine. If we mistake not the late Senator Warner Miller, of New York, was president of a company which established in Wilmington an extensive plant for the treatment of cross-ties, piling, etc. At that time there was every prospect that an interoceanic canal would be constructed across the isthmus by a private corporation which was undertaking to build the Nicaraguan canal. It might be ancient history to say that it looked like the promoters were going to build that canal, and that costly plans were made for making a harbor at Greytown, on the Atlantic side of Nicaragua. The Carolina Creosote Works of this city, got a big contract to creosote the timbers for the breakwaters, wharves and harbor work at Greytown, and then came the collapse. Men made and lost fortunes by the process to use pine products as a preservative for timber when the Nicaraguan canal scheme fell through. Now, it seems that the value of pine products as preservatives is recognized and sooner or later they will be fully utilized. In the meantime, the Oil and Mineral Trades Journal says:

"Creosote, obtained as a heavy oil in the manufacture of coal or petroleum tar, has proved so satisfactory as a preservative of timber in the United States and Canada, that railway, telegraph, telephone and electrical companies are now treating poles and other wood items of their plants with creosote, largely on the score of economy. With creosote at eight cents per gallon, and labor and other charges, which together amount to a total of about $1.40 per pole for treatment, such an expenditure is considered as being very remunerative owing to the saving of the poles which it effects. A saving of $6.40 per year on each mile of line on which the poles have been treated with creosote, as compared with lines on which the poles have not been so treated, is reported by Canadian users. The creosoted pole will, it is stated, last 20 years as compared with 12 years, the average life of an uncreosoted pole. This preserving of poles is being strongly urged in the United States and Canada, as one of lessening the enormous drain on the forests. In England the use of creosote as a preservative of wood has been chiefly confined in the past to the treating of railway sleepers and telegraph poles. But the valuable paper read at the last meeting of the London section of the Society of Chemical Industry with the discussion following it, suggests that a wider knowledge of the method in which creosote acts as a preservative of wood may lead to its more extensive use. Certainly one large field exists in which as yet there has been little if any use of the preservative properties of creosote. We refer to the coal-mining industry, in which a large quantity of heavy timbers is exposed to the weather in mine headstocks, gantry and stage structures and buildings. The timber for all such structures might with great advantage be treated with creosote at the time of first erection, and as frequently thereafter as seems desirable to protect the texture of the wood from the agencies of destruction and decay."

The above refers to the creosote of the petroleum product, but we are as well satisfied that the pine preservative is equally as efficacious. Experiments have proven that both processes are economical in their ultimate effect, and we may yet realize that the Wilmington promoters of the plant to utilize pine oils for preserving timbers were just about a quarter of a century ahead of the times. We accept the theory that both the petroleum and pine products are valuable wood preservatives. In that respect both are economical and ultimately will be valuable.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Taft at bay—and controller of same.—Boston Transcript.

Hope returns. Haberdashers tell it that the red tie is passe.—Milwaukee News.

Perhaps Mr. Bryan does not like the way in which Senator Martin handled the minority in the Senate.—Washington Herald.

Mr. Perkins is entitled to a prize for the best financial campaign slogan: "We'll get fifty millions for nothing." It's a winner.—New York World.

It is said in Washington that there is much hope and some promise of the Democrats and the Insurgent Republicans being able to pass some of the tariff revision measures over the expected veto of President Taft. That would be a remarkable and an exceedingly interesting outcome of the whole situation that has gone through so many mutations in the past three years. It is not difficult to figure out how such a thing could be brought about in the House, where the Democrats are in such overwhelming majority and the insurgent Republicans not a few, but the margin in the House between the progressive coalition and the standpatters is rather narrow, and it would be surprising if enough votes could be secured to overcome the Presidential veto.—Charleston Post.

Nothing could be more significant of Georgia's steady and pervasive progress than the fact that the tax returns from 73 counties, which is half the number in the State, show an aggregate increase for 1911 over 1910 of $9,593,150. These are official figures from the office of the comptroller general. A review of the list of these counties shows that this increase has not been confined to any particular section, but is the result of a widespread advance in values. Every quarter, and it may be said, every district of the State, has contributed a proportionate share to these increased returns. It is therefore clear that Georgia is moving forward as a whole and that every field of its manifold enterprises have felt the quickening touch of progress. Town lands and country lands are worth more today than ever before. Our industrial as well as our agricultural life is striwing forward more and more rapidly.—Atlanta Journal.

A paper in Dallas, Texas, says the campaign statement about lumber sent out by the Democratic Committee in 1908 was made in order to make the lumber manufacturers "come across" with big campaign contributions and that Senator Simmons was responsible for it. Such a statement has no foundation. The statement was written by the head of the literary bureau, was not approved by the State chairman and was never seen by Senator Simmons until after it was circulated. The suggestion that North Carolina Democrats of any faction make campaign pledges to get money is without foundation. The Texas paper shows that it does not understand anything about North Carolina politics. Both the State chairman and head of the literary bureau had opposed the Simmons wing of the party in that campaign and were warm supporters of Governor Kitchin. The lumber circular was not intended to get any contributions and did not secure any. The Texas paper is all wrong.—Raleigh News and Observer.

It is admitted by Republican leaders that their party is face to face with a situation quite as serious as that which confronted the Democratic party in 1896, when it split on the free silver issue. By a coalition of Democrats and Insurgent Republicans two bills have been put through the Senate, one reducing the duties on wool and the other adding many articles to the free list. It is not expected that the Democratic House leaders will reject the measures, because such a course would destroy all the advantage the Democrats have gained since Congress assembled in special session. The bills are certain to go to the President, who, from all accounts, has given notice that he will not approve them for two reasons—first, that the extra session was called for the sole purpose of securing action upon the reciprocity agreement and he will not sanction other legislation, and, secondly, that it would be unwise to approve such measures until the tariff board makes its report. "These reasons may satisfy the standpatter and the partisan Republican," says the Washington Herald, "but they are not likely to appeal to the independent voter."—New Orleans States.

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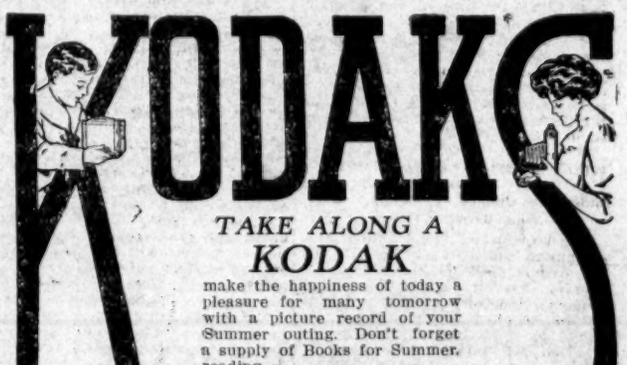

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TAX LEVY SAME AS LAST YEAR

Forty-Nine Cents on $100 Valuation and $1.47 for County Fixed by County Commissioners—Free Ferry Matter.

The most important matter before the Board of County Commissioners in regular monthly session yesterday afternoon for nearly two hours was the annual tax levy which so far as the total is concerned remains the same as last year, though one item has been taken from and the amount added to another item. Forty-nine cents on the $100 valuation of property and $1.47 on the poll is what the county will receive. The State gets 45 cents on the $100 valuation, making a total the taxpayer will pay of 94 cents on the $100 valuation of property.

The levy was made as follows: General fund, 21 2-3 cents; hospital, 6 cents; road sinking fund, special, 6 1-3 cents; school, special, 15 cents, a total of 49 cents. Poll tax—General, 65 cents; hospital, 18 cents; road sinking fund, special, 16 cents; school, special, 45 cents, a total of $1.47. The last Legislature reduced the amount the county may raise for general purposes two cents and the two cents was added to the State tax. The Commissioners, instead of levying 23 2-3 cents for general purposes as last year, made it 21 2-3 cents and added the two cents to the special road sinking fund, in order to provide for the additional bonds of $50,000 recently voted. The special school tax of 15 cents on the $100 valuation and 45 cents on the poll was fixed in accordance with a request of the County Board of Education as made in a communication sent over at the June meeting.

A. G. Ricaud, Esq., appeared before the board in behalf of John Law, colored, convicted at the recent term of court of embezzlement and sentenced to four months in the county jail with leave to the Commissioners to hire out. Mr. Ricaud said that Judge Cline had suggested $62.50 as the lowest possible amount that should be received for the negro for that period of time. Upon motion the negro was hired to Mr. Ricaud for four months for the amount named.

Upon motion Mr. E. J. W. Anders was appointed special surveyor to survey some land in Masonboro township at the requet of Mr. Wm. Hollis. Mr. John Haar, Register of Deeds, reported that during the month of July there were issued 26 marriage licenses, 13 to whites and 13 to colored. Mr. J. B. Hewlett, fish inspector, made his report, which was ordered on file. The Clerk of Superior Court reported that $183.65 was collected in fines and jail fees since last repot and that amount was turned over to the treasurer.

Chairman McEachern reported that he had written to Judge R. B. Peebles with reference to the bill of Dr. Russell Bellamy for expert services during the Holly trial, but had not received a reply.

Commissioner M. W. Divine reported some progress on the plans for the bridge to be erected over the Northeast river at Castle Haynes. It is hoped and believed that something definite will be done with regard to the bridge within the next few weeks.

The question of considering the establishment of a free ferry across the Cape Fear river between New Hanover and Brunswick counties as provided by an act of the recent Legislature was brought up and upon motion it was decided to ask for a joint conference between the board of County Commissioners of New Hanover and Brunswick and the Councilmen of the city of Wilmington on Monday, August 28th, at 3 o'clock at the Court House. It is hoped that every board will be well represented and that something definite will result.

The meeting yesterday was presided over by Chairman Duncan McEachern with Commissioners Metts, Kerr and Divine in attendance; also Mr. John Haar, the clerk.

WILL ERECT HANDSOME HOME.

Bids to be Opened on August 15th for New Banking House.

The directors of the Atlantic Trust & Banking Company will hold a meeting August 15th for the purpose of opening bids for the erection of the proposed handsome new home of the institution on property recently acquired by it on the northeast corner of Front and Market streets. Twenty sets of plans have been sent out to contractors between New York and Jacksonville, Fla., in addition to those furnished the local contractors. The officers of the bank propose to erect an eight-story building exclusive of basement. The first floor will be the home of the progressive and prosperous financial institution, and the other floors will be equipped with modern and desirable offices. The building will be of steel and concrete and will be of the most modern construction. The bank has one of the most desirable sites in the city upon which to erect a modern banking house. On the site at present are two store rooms, one occupied by Wm. H. Green & Co., druggists, and the store room next east. Possession will be given October 1st, soon after which time the tearing away of the old buildings and the erection of the new will begin. It is hoped to have the new building completed in six months after the work is started.

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT.

Capt. W. E. Beaton Appointed to Post in Transportation Department.

Capt. W. E. Beaton, one of the most expert and most competent of the Tidewater Power Company's suburban line force, has been appointed assistant superintendent of transportation and yesterday entered upon his duties. He will be Capt. John J. Sheehan's "right hand man" in the transportation department of the company's extensive lines and will be a valuable man in this capacity, having had wide experience in both trolley transportation and in railway operation. Mr. Beaton's friends were congratulating him yesterday upon the important promotion which he has received in the service of the company.

A new revelation for smokers—Hoffman House cigar—formerly 10c value, now 5c at Gerken Tobacco Co., only.

BANKERS GATHER TOMORROW

Fifth Annual Convention of Country Bankers' Association at Beach. Delegates Are Arriving. The Programme.

The fifth annual convention of the Country Bankers' Association of North Carolina will be held in the assembly hall of the Oceanic Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, tomorrow and Wednesday, and delegates to the meeting are already arriving. Fully 300 visitors are expected to be on the beach as a result of the convention and probably 200 of this number will be members of the association, the other 100 being members of their families and friends. The local committee on arrangements has everything in readiness for the meeting, which promises to be the best attended and most profitable ever held by the association, which is composed of practically all the country bankers in North Carolina within a radius of Hamlet.

It was at Hamlet that the organization was formed five years ago, the original purpose being to provide something in the way of a substitute for those bankers who could not very well attend the established association, and the meeeting were held in the small towns within the territory from which its members were selected. The attendance grew larger from year to year and this year it was conceded by all that no town in the territory had sufficient accommodations to care for all likely to attend. Therefore, when Mr. Chas. N. Evans, president of the Southern National Bank, for the local bankers and the Oceanic Hotel, of which he is a director, extended a most cordial invitation to meet at Wrightsville Beach, it did not take much persuasion to get acceptance. Practically every bank in the territory will be represented by one or more delegates, it is expected. Several bankers have already arrived for the meeting, going on through to Wrightsville Beach.

The local committee, composed of Mr. Chas. N. Evans, chairman; Mr. Chas. E. Taylor, Jr., and Mr. J. W. Yates, have completed all arrangements. Mr. Lacy Williams, cashier of the Bank of Maxton, and secretary of the association, is expected to arrive today at noon as well as a large number of other bankers. The visitors will be well cared for at the Oceanic which will be their headquarters.

The opening session of the convention will be held Wednesday evening, beginning at 8:30 o'clock, in the ball room of the hotel, being called to order by Mr. W. S. Blakeney, of Monroe, president. After the invocation by Rev. N. H. D. Wilson, presiding elder of the Wilmington District of the North Carolina Conference M. E. Church, South, the address of welcome will be made by Mr. H. C. McQueen, president of the Murchison National Bank. The response will be made by ex-Judge W. H. Neal, of Laurinburg. This will be followed by the annual report of President Blakeney, who is one of the most prominent bankers in the territory embraced in the association. He is president of the Bank of Union, Monroe, and is also president of a bank at Chesterfield, S. C. Following the president's report an address will be made by Mr. A. W. Peace, cashier of the Bank of Lumberton, after which announcement of committees will be made and adjournment taken. Special cars of the Tidewater Power Co., will be in waiting to convey the delegates and visitors to the various clubs on the beach and Lumina, accompanied by representatives of the Wilmington Clearing House Association, ladies and friends.

Baltimore Banker to Speak.

The convention will be called to order Thursday morning at 9:15 o'clock by President Blakeney. The feature of the meeting will be an address by Mr. Harry B. Wilcox, president of the First National Bank, Baltimore, Md., whose subject will be, "The Country Banker." Mr. Wilcox is well known among the bankers of the South. He entered the banking business when a mere lad, grew up in the business and is familiar with every feature of it, and has the ability to impart his knowledge in a most practical and pleasing manner. Those who have heard him speak are glad of the opportunity which will be presented to again hear him. He will be followed by Mr. Claude Gore, president of the Bank of Rockingham, whose subject will be "One Year, Seven Months and Four Days a Country Banker." Mr. Gore is a forwer Wilmingtonian, and is a son of Mr. D. L. Gore, of this city. He has hundreds of friends in this city who will be pleased to greet him on this trip and to listen to his address.

The addresses will be followed by a discussion of exchange rates. All members are supposed to express themselves freely in short talks. Following reports of committee officers for the ensuing year will be elected after which the convention will adjourn.

While this will conclude the formal sessions of the convention, it does not mean that the visitors will depart during the day, but rather that they will be placed in a position to enjoy to the fullest extent the many attractions of the resort. After adjournment and lunch special boats at the Oceanic will be in waiting at the hotel piers to take, such as care to go, sailing, fishing, etc., returning in time for surf bathing. Thursday evening the visitors will be guests of the Tidewater Power Co., at a souvenir dance at Lumina. The visitors will be conveyed from the hotel to the pleasure palace in special cars leaving the hotel at 9 o'clock. This will be the concluding feature of the convention.

Rev. Mr. Wooten on Vacation.

Rev. J. C. Wooten, pastor of Grace M. E. Church, left yesterday for Chicago, where he will remain for a month or more taking a course of instruction at the University of Chicago. He will resume his pastoral duties about the 10th of September. Rev. T. A. Smoot, of Norfolk, who is spending some time here on a visit, will preach at Grace church at both services next Sunday.

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ANUAL MANEUVERS AT FORT

Encampment of the Coast Artillery Corps, N. C. National Guard Began Yesterday—Five Military Companies Here.

En route to Fort Caswell for the annual encampment and maneuvers with the regulars of the United States army, the five companies of the Coast Artillery Corps of the North Carolina National Guard were in the city for several hours yesterday, going down to the fort in the afternoon on boats. The soldier boys will remain at the fort for ten days, receiving instructions from the regulars and having a good time in general. Included in the five companies is the Wilmington Light Infantry, and it is expected that hundreds of Wilmingtonians will go down to the fort next Sunday to spend the day with the boys.

The W. L. I. boys, Capt. E. A. Metts in command, went down on the government steamer Madeleine leaving the steamer Wilmington wharf at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The Newbern, Charlotte, Greensboro and Salisbury companies arrived during the morning and went down in the afternoon on the steamer Wilmington. The steamer was a little late in leaving owing to the fact that it had to go up the river to a point opposite the union station to get the baggage, etc. All the companies are carrying a large percentage of their membership. Maj. Max L. Barker, of Salisbury, is in command. The following from yesterday's Observer tells of the departure from the Queen City of the fifth company of the corps:

"Bound for Fort Caswell to spend ten days 'where cooling breezes blow' and incidentally get wise to some of the fine points of the war game, 56 Charlotteans representing the fifth company coast artillery corps and the hospital corps, leave this morning in a special car attached to the Seaboard Air Line's early train. Representing the artillery are Capt. W. M. Robey, First Lieut. Charles B. Ross, Second Lieut. Claude E. Hobbs and 45 enlisted men. Lieut. Myers G. Hunter is in charge of the hospital corps of eight men.

"The Charlotte company is one of only five in the State. The others are located at Salisbury, Greensboro, Newbern and Wilmington. There are about 65 enrolled here. The company constituting the corps will be attached to the 79th Coast Artillery Corps of the United States army. They will company with Uncle Sam's regulars during the ten days' stay at the fort, which is 30 miles below Wilmington. They will doubtless return much benefitted by the out-door life, and the training and in the meantime are expecting to have an enjoyable time. The outing is provided for out of the National exchequer, both militia and artillery corps being required to be up to the high standard prescribed for the Federal army. The Charlotte company is one of the best in the State, a distinct credit both to Charlotte and to the State."

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Negro "Repeals" from Judgment of His Honor—Other Cases.

While the usual large Monday crowd of defendants faced the Recorder yesterday morning, most of the cases were of minor consequence, and no feature of real importance attached to the session.

Edgar Hawn, colored, charged with the larceny of a pair of shoes from Mr. S. H. Davis, received a sentence of 12 months on the county roads and appealed. Hawn convulsed the court by stating that he wished to "repeal" to the Superior Court.

Annie Holmes, a dusky maid, was fined $10 and costs for disorderly conduct. Ed Garman, white, was charged with disorderly conduct and was taxed $25 and the costs.

Cora Murphy, colored, paid $10 and costs for being drunk and disorderly. Hugh Hinton and John Potter, two boys, were charged with an affray. Judgment was suspended upon condition that their parents give them a good whipping. Aside from the above cases the docket was made up of a number of drunks, all of whom received attention from His Honor.

Bennett Case Continued.

The trial of the case against Mr. J. N. Bennett, who conducts business in the Starkey building on Princess street, near water, set for 11 o'clock yesterday morning before Justice Harriss, was continued until later in the week, date not set, as counsel for the defendant is attending court at Southport. Former Solicitor Rodolph Duffy, reported to have been employed to prosecute by private interests, was notified Sunday that the case would likely be continued and did not come down for the trial yesterday. Mr. Bennett is charged with violating the State prohibition law and the warrant upon which he was arrested was issued upon affidivat of Mr. Bellamy Harriss.

Complimentary to Laundrymen.

There was a souvenir dance last night at Lumina given complimentary to the Carolina Laundrymen's Association. The ball room was appropriately decorated. The souvenirs were very attractive burnt wood handkerchief and collar boxes. The affair attracted a good-sized crowd. A special souvenir dance will be given next Thursday night for the country bankers who will hold their convention at the beach Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

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LAUNDRYMEN ARE IN SESSION

Semi-Annual Meeting of Launderers' Association of the Carolinas Being Held at Wrightsville Beach.

Assembled in semi-annual session, the Launderers' Association of the Carolinas met in the ball room of the Seashore Hotel yesterday morning and afternoon and transacted all the business before the body at this time, cleaning up a two days' programme in one, and now has the whole of today left for the pursuit of the many pleasures that Wrightsville Beach affords.

Foremost in importance of all matters transacted yesterday was the decision reached to merge the Launderers' Association of the Carolinas with the Launderers' Association of Georgia and form a tri-State organization of the three. The Georgia Association sent Mr. George H. Foust to lay this proposition before the Carolina laundrymen and after the advantages that would accrue to each organization from the change had been discussed from all viewpoints, it was unanimously decided to affiliate with the Cracker State association and to receive that body into the new organization at the annual meeting to be held in Charlotte next March. At this time the name of the new association will be decided upon.

At 10 A. M. President F. D. Lethco, of Charlotte, called the meeting to order. Mr. H. A. Smith, of Florence, S. C., secretary and treasurer of the association, was at his post, and Mr. W. D. Gunther, vice president, of Charleston, was also in attendance.

Following a prayer by Rev. William H. Milton, D. D., rector of St. James Episcopal church, of this city, Mayor Joseph D. Smith delivered a short address of welcome. Mayor Smith was decidedly at his best and his remarks of a cordial and hearty nature, calculated to make it clear to the visitors that they were more than welcome to the chief seaport city and the foremost Summer resort on the South Atlantic coast. The chief executive of Wilmington referred to the 28th annual convention of the National association, which will be held in St. Paul, Minn., this month, and remarked upon the showing of growth that the 3,800 delegates who are expected to attend will make. The mayor declared that he was glad to see that a Richmond man is first vice president of the National association and a Charlotte man second vice president, asserting that it showed that the South was being treated well and also spoke well of the men engaged in the laundry business in the South. Declaring that the laundrymen had come to the most appropriate place in the world, the speaker told them that this section has one of the largest laundries in the world, referring to the Atlantic ocean, whose waves wash upon the Carolina shores. Mayor Smith closed his remarks by hoping that his welcome would ring true and would make the visitors feel all that he had said in welcoming them was sincere.

Mr. R. N. Hadley, of Greensboro, delivered the response for the delegates, referring in appreciative spirit to the many kind remarks of Mayor Smith. He also referred to the purposes of the association, telling how it had been organized that from the co-operation that would result the public might receive a higher and better service at the same cost, and declared that the organization was in no way a trust or had been organized to raise the price of laundry work.

On behalf of the machinery and supply men, Mr. C. M. Matthews, of the J. B. Ford Company, made a short response, expressing the thanks of himself and his fellow delegates for the kind words of welcome.

Roll was next called, about 35 delegates answering, and the business part of the programme was taken up. The following committees were appointed: Credentials, J. O. Hinton, Samuel Walker and F. P. Ingram; resolutions, R. N. Hadley, P. M. Cave and W. G. Gnann; finance, E. S. Bee, S. F. Thompson and Edward Wright.

Applications for membership were received and two new members were received into the association. Other matters of interest to the gathering were then discussed, chief among which was the proposal to form an alliance with the Georgia association. No action was taken on this question at the morning session and shortly after 12 o'clock the meeting adjourned and the members lined up and had their photograph taken.

After dinner the business programme was again taken up and after some more discussion it was decided to affiliate with the Georgia association and to form a tri-State association composed of the laundrymen of North and South Carolina and Georgia. The Georgia organization will be admitted at the annual meeting in Charlotte next March and a name will be chosen for the new association.

Other features of the afternoon meeting were the discussions of questions relating to the conducting of a laundry. Laundry publicity was a topic that came in for its share of the discussion and much interest attached to this feature of the business. The national association is now presenting in one of the foremost weekly periodical publications of the country a series of full page advertisements, and the association of the Carolinas has contributed very liberally toward defraying the expense of this publicity. Several of the advertisements have already appeared and the delegates yesterday exchanged thir views on the matter, all agreeing that they would be vastly benefitted by the publicity. The plan is for the laundries in each city to call attention to the advertisements in their local papers.

At 4:30 the session came to a close, with several features that were originally on the programme for today disposed of. Therefore no formal meeting will be held today.

Last night at 9 o'clock a souvenir dance was given at Lumina in honor of the laundrymen and was much enjoyed by them. The pavilion was decorated in genuine laundry style, several hundred towels being strung over the ball room on improvised clothes lines. Those dancing were given pyrographed ribbon boxes as souvenirs.

Early this morning the delegates will enjoy a deep sea fishing trip and all of them are looking forward to this outing. After the fishing trip they will spend the day as they please and in the evening they will be entertained at a sea food supper at the Oceanic Hotel. These will be the last features of the semi-annual meeting and most of the delegate will leave for their homes tonight or early tomorrow morning. However, it is likely that some of them will remain for a time at the beach.

Those attending the meeting are: H. L. Hallowell, Goldsboro; J. H. Ledbetter, Fayetteville; H. C. Howell, Raleigh; C. P. Edwards, Charlotte; P. M. Cave, Charlotte; Geo. H. Foust, Atlanta; W. L. Davis, Raleigh; D. J. O'Keefe, Wilmington; J. J. Darley, Wilmington; E. A. Porter, Atlanta; C. M. Matthews, Birmingham, Ala.; J. A. Meadows, Lynchburg, Va.; A. A. Glass, Louisville, Ky.; W. D. Gunther, Charleston; W. H. Dunnaway, Atlanta; W. S. Hoffman, New York; R. N. Hadley, Greensboro; Jno. M. Dick, Greensboro; F. D. Lethco, Charlotte; H. A. Smith, Florence; S. J. Brightwell, Sumter, S. C.; Samuel Walker, Greenville; Jno. A. Young, S. F. Thomas, Columbia; W. S. West, Raleigh; Edward Wright, J. O. Hinton, Wilmington; W. G. Gnann, Charleston; E. S. Bell, Charlotte; F. S. Ingram, High Point; S. J. Pittman, Atlanta; J. Atmayer, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mrs. L. J. Glasgow Bereaved.

Mrs. L. J. Glasgow, of this city, has the sympathy of a great many friends in the death of her father, Mr Thomas Adams, which occurred at his late residence in Norfolk, Va., last Wednesday. The interment was in Norfolk and Mrs. Glasgow and members of her family attended the funeral services. Mrs. Glasgow is spending a few days in Norfolk with relatives.

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Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: J. Haughton James to Albert L. Dosher and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on Carolina Heights, on south side of Princess, 90 feet east of 19th street, 35x150 in size; J. Haughton James to W. R. Dosher and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on Princess, 125 feet east of 19th, 75x150 feet in size; C. C. Chadbourn, trustee, to W. G. James, for $10 and other considerations, lot on north side of Harnett, 6 feet west of Second, 33x90 feet in size; The American Suburban Corporation to B. T. Hopkins, for $600 lots 3 and 4 in block 28, Carolina Place, same being on east side of Wrightsville avenue, 66 feet north of Woolcott avenue, 66x115 feet in size.

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SOCIETY

Miss Katie Fleet has returned from a visit in the western part of the State.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Morgan have returned from a visit to Atlanta, Ga., Mr. Morgan's former home.

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Miss Lillian Vaughan returned home yesterday after a delightful visit of a few days with friends at Raleigh.

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Miss Lois Melvin returned to her home at Roseboro yesterday morning after a visit to friends in this city.

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Miss Gertie Harts, of Parkton, N. C., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John C. McAlister, No. 106 Queen street.

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Mrs. Emily Shoulders, of Hoboken, N. J., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lineker on the Castle Hayne road.

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Mrs. W. P. Toon left during the past week for Rochester, N. Y., where she will spend some time with friends and relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. George R. French are spending some time at Hendersonville, N. C., and are guests at the home of Capt. M. C. Toms.

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Mrs. W. D. McGrew and daughter, Miss Mabel McGrew, left yesterday morning to visit relatives in Sumter and Columbia, S. C.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. H. J. Ahrens left last night for Wernersville, Pa., where they expect to spend a month, returning early in September.

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Mrs. J. E. Everett and children, of Portsmouth, Va., are visiting at the Summer home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Huggins, near Scott's Hill.

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Dr. H. T. Pope and family of Lumberton, who have been spending some time at Wrightsville Beach, returned home yesterday afternoon.

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Mrs. Herman Meredith is expected to return today from High Point, where she has been visiting her parents for the past two weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Muse have returned from their bridal tour of two weeks and are at home to their friends at No. 217 North Seventh street.

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Miss Grace Snow returned Sunday to her home at Hillsboro after a pleasant stay of three weeks at the Parsley cottage, Wrightsville Beach.

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Mr. W. L. Latta and son, John Robert, arrived yesterday from Philadelphia, and are visiting Mr. Latta's mother, Mrs. J. R. Latta, No. 111 Grace street.

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Friends will be delighted to know that Mrs. R. H. Cowan, who has been seriously ill of typhoid fever at her home, No. 316 North Front street, is convalescing.

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Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Bain, of Wilmington spent yesterday in the city.—Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Lethco have gone to Wilmington to spend a few days."

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Sunday's Savannah Morning News: "Mrs. Robert Adams will leave Tuesday for Maryland, and after some weeks North will visit at her former home in Wilmington, N. C., before returning to Savannah."

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Mr. Jno. C. Slocumb, Jr., has returned from a delightful vacation of a week in the mountains of Western North Carolina, where he was a member of a house party.

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Miss Mary Claire Peterson, the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Peterson, has gone to Greenville, S. C., where she will visit the home of her sister, Mrs. A. M. Scarborough, the remainder of the Summer.

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Miss Margaret Cordon, of Washington, N. C., who has been the attractive guest of Mrs. W. S. Bernard, at Winter Park Gardens, left yesterday morning, returning to her home. Mrs. Bernard accompanied her and will be away several weeks visiting in Washington and Salisbury, N. C.

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Atlanta Georgian: Capt. Jack Johnson and three daughters, Col. and Mrs. J. L. Sibley, Misses Sarah Arnold and Martha Glover, all of Birmingham, and Mrs. D. Green, of Newnan, constituted a party passing through the city Friday en route to Wrightsville for a stay of several weeks."

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ENJOYABLE WATERMELON PARTY SATURDAY NIGHT.

Mr. J. S. Ballentine, one of the popular clerks at the Oceanic Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, was host Saturday night at a most delightful watermelon and surf party. The guests were Misses Mary Ruffin Green, Florence Green, Durham; Miss Anderson, Reidsville; Miss Essie Robertson, Fairburn, Ga.; Miss Crouch, Atlanta; Miss Rachel Mauney, Salisbury; Misses Florrie, Anna and Louisa Grant, Miss Edyth Pritchard, Miss Esther Hashagen, Wilmington; Miss Marie Hardwick, Birmingham, Ala.; Miss Burckhardt, Atlanta; Miss Aileen Miller, Charlotte; Mr. George Hahagen, Wilmington; Mr. J. S. Ballentine and Mr. W. I. Gore, of the Oceanic; Mr. J. M. Gallant, Gastonia; Mr. H. C. Waddell, Richmond, Va.; Mr. J. C. Hollis, Columbus, Ga.; Mr. Tom Johnson, Salisbury; Mr. Edward Nott, Spartanburg, S. C.; Mr. Bryce Beard, Salisbury; Mr. George Norman, Oceanic Hotel; Mr. E. B. Moore, Wilmington. Chaperones, Mrs. Lelia G. Davis, Durham, and Mr. and Mrs. Cuthbert Martin, Wilmington.

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MARRIAGE OF POPULAR YOUNG COUPLE LAST NIGHT.

Mr. G. P. Jones and Miss Maggie May Thompson were married at 8 o'clock last night at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. T. H. Thompson, No. 320 North Seventh street, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Thos. A. Smoot, formerly pastor of Grace Methodist Church, but now pastor of a Methodist church in Norfolk. There were present only a few relatives and intimate friends. Mr. W. R. H. Brown was best man and Mrs. E. B. Vann, sister of the bride, was dame of honor. The bride was handsomely attired in blue satin and the dame of honor wore a handsome hand embroidered gown. After felicitations and best wishes of many friends had been showered upon the bride and groom refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Jones will reside at No. 320 North Seventh street. Mr. Jones is electrician at the Grand Theatre and since coming here about nine months ago has made many friends who will be interested in his marriage. His wife is a very attractive and popular young lady.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. A. Cavanaugh, of Wallace, was among yesterday's arrivals in the city.

—Mr. S. N. Bland, of Willard, N. C., was among the business visitors to the city yesterday.

—Mr. J. B. Core, of White Oak, Bladen county, was a Wilmington business visitor yesterday.

—Mr. C. J. Mitchell, of the B. F. Mitchell Co., left Sunday evening for a business trip to New York.

—Mr. E. L. Smith, a member of the police force, is spending a month in the mountains of North Carolina in the interest of his health.

—Mr. Morgan B. Speir, of Charlotte, division commercial superintendent of the Southern Bell Telephone Co., is in the city for a few days.

—Mr. J. F. Rulfs, Jr., left Sunday for a visit to Salisbury and other points in that part of the State, where Mrs. Rulfs and children are visiting.

—Mr. E. C. Register, proprietor of the People's Pressing Club, is able to be out again after being confined to his home for several weeks on account of an attack of typhoid fever.

—An error appeared in the naval stores quotations of crude turpentine in Sunday's Star, which should have read, hard $2.90; dip $4.40 and virgin $4.40. The quotation on dip at $4.50 instead of $4.40, was incorrect.

—Mr. Milton Calder, cashier of the Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., has gone to Linville for his two weeks' vacation, and during his absence his duties are being performed by Mr. W. C. Curtis, auditor of the Southern National Bank.

—Master Charlie Mumford, the 10-year-old son of the late Deputy Sheriff Mumford, of Wilson, for whose murder Lewis West, the negro desperada, was electrocuted at Raleigh, is visiting the family of Mr. R. J. Darden, at 519 North Third street.

—Mr. F. C. Bigley, superintendent of construction and purchasing agent for the Standard Oil Co., Baltimore, Md., is spending a few days in the city inspecting the recent extensive improvements made on the local plant under the supervision of Mr. W. D. Blaock.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The regular weekly meeting of the city Council will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—A number of Wilmington lawyers are in Southport this week attending the regular term of Brunswick Superior Court for the trial of civil matters. Judge H. W. Whedbee, of Greenville, is presiding.

—Sale of certain property said to belong to Mr. Wm. E. Worth, of this city, levied upon to satisfy a judgment of the Knickerbocker Trust Co., was advertised for yesterday at noon in front of the postoffice building, but for some reason was postponed.

—The case against W. H. Howe, colored, charged with obstructing an officer in the performance of his duty, set for hearing before Justice Harriss yesterday, was continued until the latter part of the week owing to the absence from the city of Hon. John D. Bellamy, attorney for the negro.

—There was further hearing yesterday in the matter of Mr. W. L. Dukes, an aged white man, whom his wife is trying to establish is insane. The allegation is being stoutly resisted by Mr. Dukes through his attorneys, Kellum & Loughlin. Another will be held at 9:30 o'clock this morning.

—Sheriff Cowan stated yesterday that he had instructed his deputies to search out and arrest all auto owners who are not properly displaying the number given by the Secretary of State. The law requires that the number on the seal be conspicuously displayed and that the number be displayed on the front and rear of the machine in addition. It is said that there are a number of owners who have not complied with the law.

—The marriage of Miss Georgia Facou, who arrived a few days ago from Greece, and Mr. Savas Sklavanounos, of Bennettsville, S. C., announced to take place Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock was not performed owing to the fact that the minister, Rev. Gerassimos, rector of the Greek Orthodox Church, Norfolk, Va., did not arrive. He was expected on the late train last night and if he arrived the ceremony will be performed today.

Sanitary Campaign at Beach.

Mr. Geo. H. Ward, general officer and health inspector at Wrightsville Beach, is making a daily visit and inspection of each cottage and premises on Wrightsville Beach with a view of improving sanitary conditions. Not that they are bad, but that they may be made better. This comes as a result of the recommendation of Mayor Thos. H. Wright. He also advised the burning of grass in the vicinity of their cottages as a precaution against fire, and the suggestion has been liberally observed. As a result of the efforts of Mayor Wright and the health officer the premises are much neater in appearance than ever before and this fact has been most favorably commented upon by a large number.

DIED.

NELSON—Fannie E. Nelson, relict of the late B. F. Nelson, on Saturday, August 5th.

Funeral at the residence of Mr. Hugh MacRae, No. 713 Market street this (Tuesday) afternoon at 5 o'clock; interment in Oakdale.

MANY AT THE BEACHES SUNDAY

Hundreds of People Spent Delightful Day at Two Resorts—Fine Concerts at the Hotels and at Lumina.

With both hotels taxed to accommodate the large crowds, and with hundreds of visitors from nearby towns in for the day on the week-end rates over the railroads, Sunday was another banner day at Wrightsville Beach.

In addition to the many outside visitors the usual large number of Wilmingtonians spent the day at the resort, adding to the animated appearance of the South's Atlantic City.

At the hotels the usual Sunday concerts were rendered, and were heard and enjoyed by large audiences composed of the guests of the hostelries and many of the residents on the beach. The Sunday concerts have become popular features and many people look forward to them each week. At the Oceanic Hotel a very attractive programme was rendered by Asbury's Orchestra, and at the Seashore the orchestra, composed of a number of young ladies and one young man, rendered one of the best concerts of the season. At each of the popular hotels the many people who heard the music applauded the orchestras and several encores were responded to.

Mrs. Frank Pearson, of Atlanta, the noted soprano who has been filling an engagement at the Grand Theatre in this city, and who has been stopping at the Seashore Hotel while here, sang at the Sunday concert and her wonderful voice was heard with delight.

At Lumina in the afternoon and evening Mrs. Pearson made her final appearance in the Sunday concerts. Since coming here her work at the handsome pavilion has been one of the features of the Sunday music and a large audience turned out to hear her for the last time. At the afternoon concert she sang "To the End of the World With You," and was encored so heartily that she responded with several other numbers. At night she sang "My Beautiful Lady," and as encore numbers "The Glow Worm" and "Good Night Dear." It was with genuine regret that the crowded pavilion heard the last note of her beautiful voice die away, and all will welcome the day when she appears in Wilmington and at the beach again.

Another feature of the programme at Lumina Sunday night was the trombone solo by Mr. Lyle Cox, a member of Kneisel's orchestra. Mr. Cox's rendition of "Romance" was splendid and the audience refused to be satisfied until he had responded to their applause with an encore number.

The surf Sunday afternoon was one of the best for bathing purposes of the season and hundreds went in. The bathing pavilions at Lumina and the two hotels were fairly taxed to accommodate the many pleasure seekers, and from the Oceanic to Lumina the beach was dotted with hundreds of people in bathing suits.

Carolina Beach, too, was a popular place Sunday and many spent a quiet and delightful day at this growing resort. The steamer Wilmington made three trips to the pier and each time the boat was crowded with the pleasure seekers.

CUTTING AFFRAY LAST NIGHT.

One Negro Youth Inflicts Gash in Another's Head.

Louis Stewart, a negro youth, about 16 years of age, was wounded last night about 11 o'clock in a cutting affray by Thomas Underwood, another negro, of about the same age. Stewart sustained a nasty gash on the left side of his head and a slight cut on his left forearm. The cut on his head was several inches long and when brought to the police station the boy had lost considerable blood, though he did not appear to be weak from it.

He told the police that he was in a house at the corner of Sixth and Wright streets dancing with a girl when he bumped into Underwood, who was also on the floor.

Some words followed and Underwood later left the house. When Stewart and the girl left, Underwood had gathered a crowd of boys outside and they came up to the couple. One of the boys asked Stewart if he wanted to fight Underwood and he told him "No." However, Underwood seemed to want to pick a fight and kept advancing on Stewart, finally striking him with the knife. The first time he cut the boy on the arm, and later in the head. Following the cutting, Underwood fled.

Stewart was brought to the police headquarters in the patrol wagon, and he swore out a warrant for Underwood, charging assault with a deadly weapon. After he had been questioned by the police, he was taken to the James Walker Memorial Hospital to have his wounds dressed.

Up to a late hour last night Underwood had not been captured.

LEAVES IN A FEW DAYS.

Miss Ida Hankins Goes to Korea as a Missionary—Service.

Miss Ida Hankins, a member of Grace Methodist Church and a young woman of the highest Christian character, will leave Thursday of this week for Kansas City, Denver and San Francisco, sailing from the latter place for Korea where she goes as a missionary from Grace Church. She made her farewell talk at a largely attended service Sunday night. Her remarks were of a most interesting nature and she was given very careful attention by the large number who heard her. Miss Hankins recently graduated from the Scarritt Bible and Training School of Kansas City, and is fully equipped for the duties which will be required of her in the foreign field. A short talk was also made by Rev. Thos. A. Smoot, of Norfolk, Va., formerly pastor of Grace Church. He has many friends and admirers in this city and he was heard with great pleasure and interest.

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set the world to talking, but Paul Mathulka, of Buffalo, N. Y., says he always KEEPS AT HOME the King of all Laxatives—Dr. King's New Life Pills—and that they're a blessing to all his family. Cure constipation, headache, indigestion, dyspepsia. Only 25c. at R. R. Bellamy.

THE WATER SITUATION.

Mr. J. D. Lowry Writes in Regard to Deep Wells.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 7, 1911.

Editor Star:—In the mass meeting which was held in the Court House last Friday night, for the purpose of considering the sewerage question, Dr. G. G. Thomas took occasion to hit deep wells a blow, the doctor (being known to be opposed to deep wells) said that a certain well had been condemned which was news to me, and if any one should be apprised of the fact I think that I should have been one of the first to have received the information. This well was pumped off thoroughly and was analyzed and pronounced good water. Afterwards there was considerable work done installing pumping plant, laying equal to four blocks of pipe with the customary accumulation of grease in all pipes which takes time for cold water to wash off, and with so many connections which had to be white leaded (though used as cautiously as possible) the water was not pumped long enough through these pipes to get all foreign matter out of them before it was analyzed again. While it didn't show up quite so well as the former analysis the State chemist said that he would not condemn it and suggests and attributes it to the latter work, which had been done. That I am confident of, I know the well is cased perfectly down through many stratum of rock and sand, cutting off many veins of water and sealed perfectly into hard thick rock under which flow the best water, and which no one need be afraid of.

The doctor also stated that there are no rocks encountered here except boulders and that the impurities in water cannot be filtered outh through any depth of sand. I will say here that I don't think there is any man in Wilmington who is better informed than myself upon what is encountered below the surface in this vicinity; it must be a very large boulder when it is encountered at all points where wells have been sunk in this whole surrounding country. He was asked the question, how deep did he consider a well should be to give safe drinking water. He replied that he knew of a well at Jacksonville, N. C. that is 150 feet deep, and that the water, he was told, was not fit to wash the streets with. That I have heard also many times, but I will state that I had occasion to sink a well in Jacksonville since said well in question was sunk, and thinking I would profit by that man's experience, I took the precaution not to take the water at this particular depth. I sunk the well for the ice plant there and guaranteed them good water, and I am gratified to say that when I see these parties, and that is quite often, they take occasion to brag on the water. It is not so deep as the bad water well, either, so this proves that it is not the deepest wells that give the best water every time. He takes us to the mountains for a demonstration to prove that to pollute one stratum that a deeper one would become contaminated from the first one, which I will admit is very reasonable. Did you ever note when traveling by rail through cuts in the hill country or mountains how the surface rock lays. In almost all instances where the cuts are through rock you will observe the degree of pitch in veins or crevices between the different layers of rock with a degree of pitch equal to the steepest of roofs. In these veins or crevices there is gravel, no fine sand which could answer as a filter. Wells should be cased down through this formation of rock perfectly to insure against contamination. Has it not been said that the hill country was the home of typhoid fever? I will state that during the recent fever epidemic here when many left the city and so many who would not come to Wilmington for fear of having fever that I felt just as immune here as most anywhere. I have a deep well at my house and know how it was made. I drink it or other deep well water exclusively, hence I am not afraid of taking typhoid fever, but I am not saying that typhoid cannot be communicated in any other way than through water. I had it once and I know that I got it through the source of water that time. Then it required the water from a pure and sound watermelon to cure me after medicine failed. I firmly believe the water from the pure melons saved my life in that instance. I did not intend to allude to my case in this communication, but I write as facts present themselves to me.

Coming back to the main issue, our public water supply. What the eye sees is bound to impress one more than what it does not see, not to mention all the filth that is emptied into the Cape Fear river above and below the water intake from sewerage. Wasn't it enough for your eyes to behold on last Friday afternoon when the rain came down in such torrents that it made most all the streets look like a little river? I wonder how many thought (as they looked on the swift running water as it swept over the paved streets and cobble stones to the gutters, which carries all it contained, the shortest and quickest route to the river) how much filth it was carrying towards the water intake. I could not keep from thinking how much more I would prefer taking a drink of water from a common driven pump not more than ten or twelve feet deep. I have maintained for quite a while that it is possible to get an ample supply of splendid artesian water for a large city here. I would be willing to guarantee it, of course, I could not do it alone, but have had all the backing I wish offered me on my judgment provided that I would superintend the work as I know the conditions and would know better what to do than any one else. Of course, to make such a guarantee would have to have the privilege of selecting the location as there are places where more water can be obtained than others and better water also. Water in many places flows through subterranean channels. I shall now give the opinion of the highest authority on this water question.

Mr. N. H. Darton, Geologist, of the United States Geological Survey, says in the Coastal Plain region of the Atlantic slope there are no large supplies of potable surface water. The great rivers which traverse the region are either tidal estuaries or are widely bordered by swamps and the water of their local branches is often of bad quality. The cities situated at intervals along the western margin of the region obtain a plentiful supply of excellent water from the rivers in the highlands to the west, but out on the coastal plain surface waters are mainly used. Malarial diseases prevail in varying degree over the greater part of the region, and as medical opinion is largely agreed that these diseases are taken into the system in drinking waters, the hygienic importance of pure water is very great. Fortunately the region has a geologic structure particularly favorable to the accumulation and flowage of underground waters, and many streams of pure water are known to exist at moderate depths. These have been tapped by numerous wells and water supplies of the very greatest economic and hygienic value have been obtained. You may move your intake to Castle Haynes at a cost of $200,000 exclusive of right of way and auxiliary pumping plant and I will continue to drill wells all over the city.

J. D. LOWRY.

TELEPHONE SITUATION.

Division Superintendent Arrives to Assist the District Manager.

Arriving in the city Sunday was Mr. Morgan B. Speir, Division Commercial Superintendent of the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Co., with headquarters in Charlotte. Mr. Speir came for a conference with Division Commercial Manager Steven D. Lucas, in charge of the local exchange, with reference to the telephone situation in Wilmington.

In an interview with Mr. Speir yesterday, he stated that no one was more conscious of the unsatisfactory conditions of the telephone service here than the officials of the company themselves. But, said he, few patrons realize the very heavy handicap under which the local exchange has been operated during the past six weeks. To begin with about June 15th seven operators, including the chief, were taken from the switchboard by illness, some of it very severe, and in one instance resulting even in death. With the alarming and unfounded reports that were being circulated about health conditions in Wilmington at that time, it was simply impossible to get operators from a distance to come here and it was absolutely beyond the question to train them into the service to fill the ranks and maintain the service to a satisfactory standard. Both Mr. Lucas and Mr. Speir did everything possible to remedy the situation, but were powerless to do so until within the past week or two, when the rain storm of last Thursday night put three main cables out of commission and something like 300 telephones. With the heavy demands upon the company in caring for the beach lines and the absolute impossibility to get men in time to correct the trouble at once, necessarily the service was bad. Now, however, Mr. Speir says that the largest construction force in the two Carolinas has been centered here; a corps of the most expert operators in the two States has been installed in the local exchange and within a very short time, those in charge expect to have the service up to its usual high standard.

Both Mr. Speir and Mr. Lucas were frank in talking of the situation and it is safe to say that the most exacting patron does not regret the present conditions more than they. Mr. Speir says the present force will remain in Wilmington indefinitely; until the last complaint has been silenced. It is the Southern's business to see that every just complaint is attended to and attended to promptly and that is just what the present extra effort is going to take care of to the satisfaction of everyone. In the meantime the public is asked to be as indulgent as their dispositions will warrant and every assurance is given that local conditions will be remedied speedily.

MR. GEO. W. ROYKOUFF DEAD.

Passed Away at Winter Park Gardens Yesterday of Paralysis.

Following a stroke of paralysis, Mr. George William Roykouff, who removed to this section in April from Buffalo, N. Y., died at his home at Winter Park Gardens yesterday morning at 11:30 o'clock. Mr. Roykouff was in the 57th year of his age and since coming to this section had made many friends who learned with regret of his death. He had purchased property at Winter Park Gardens and expected to engage in trucking. He is survived by his wife and three children, Miss Grace Roykouff, who lives here; and two sons, Messrs. Clarence and Royeal Roykouff, who lived elsewhere. He is also survived by a brother, Mr. Charles Roykouff, of Buffalo, N. Y. Until the brother can be heard from the funeral arrangements will not be made. The bereaved have the sympathy of a great many friends.

MR. CHARLES M'MILLEN DEAD.

Former Wilmingtonian Dies in Oklahoma City.

News was received in the city yesterday of the death of Mr. Charles McMillen, formerly of this city, who removed to Oklahoma City, Okla., several years ago. Mr. McMillen died of heart failure Sunday. The body will be brought here for interment Thursday, it is thought.

Mr. McMillen was one of the most prominent architects in this section at the time he left Wilmington. The local Masonic Temple, the Sprunt building and the Bellamy home were all designed by him, and stand as monuments to his ability in his chosen line of work. He had hundreds of friends here who will be pained to learn of his untimely death. The funeral will be with Masonic honors.

Good Advice for Preacher.

Among the stories related by the late Rev. Dr. A. F. Pierson was one of a marble-cutter, with chisel and hammer, working a block of stone into a statue. A preacher who was looking on said: "I wish I could, on hearts of stone, deal such transforming blows!" "Perhaps you might," was the workman's quiet answer, "if, like me, you worked on your knees."

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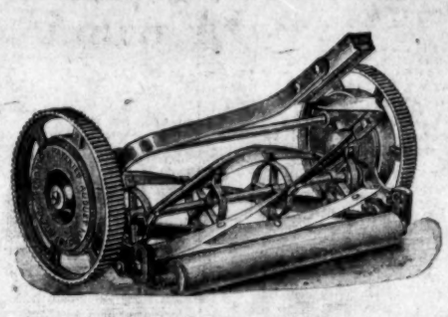

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Financial and Commercial

UNSETTLED IN COTTON MARKET

New Crop Deliveries Sold Well Above Closing Figures of Last Week. Fluctuations Somewhat Irregular.

New York, August 7.—The cotton market was very nervous and unsettled today, but while fluctuations were somewhat irregular with the bulls evidently meeting a good deal of scattering opposition, new crop deliveries sold well above the closing figures of last week and while the close was barely steady in tone, with August two points lower, later positions were from 24 to 25 points net higher.

The market opened steady at an advance of 7@12 points on bull support and covering. There seemed nothing fresh in the news to inspire buying, and after showing a net advance of from 20 to 24 points, the market eased off several points from the best under realizing by early buyers and a renewal of bear pressure. This carried prices off to within 7@11 points of Saturday's finals, but following reports of high temperatures in the Southwest there was a renewal of aggressive bull support and another covering movement which sent net crop positions above 11½ cents and to a net gain, of from 30@32 points. Last prices were a few points off from the best. October contracts sold at 11.57, compared with 11.10, the low point of Saturday, 11.74 the high point of Friday, and 10.81 the low record of last week, closing at 11.49 bid. Brokers supposed to be working for the new bull clique, whose operations have been regarded as responsible for the sensational upturn of last week, were credited with buying a very large amount of cotton during the day, the purchases being estimated at over 100,000 bales. The selling was scattered and undoubtedly included a good many orders from the South, while local traders in many cases seemed to be against the market and disposed to sell freely whenever bull suppor was withdrawn. Owing to the holiday, there were no cables from Liverpool. Beyond the talk of higher temperatures in the Southwest, weather advices seemed to afford little ground for complaint, and there was no change in the average of reports from the dry goods trade.

Receipts today, 3,625 bales, against 1,902 last week and 500 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 550, against 210 last year and at Houston, 7,785, against 1,633 last year.

Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 12.75; do gulf, 13.00; sales, 49 bales.

Futures opened steady and closed barely steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
August	12.60	12.60	12.42	12.45
September	11.62	11.46	11.58	
October	11.33	11.57	11.32	11.49
November	11.28	11.33	11.46	
December	11.34	11.57	11.33	11.40
January	11.30	11.52	11.28	11.47
March	11.38	11.60	11.37	11.55
May	11.46	11.67	11.45	11.62

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 12⅝; net receipts, 2,850; gross receipts, 2,850; sales, 1,285; stock 5,814; coastwise, 2,733.

New Orleans—Steady, 12½; net receipts, 557; gross receipts, 557; sales, 105; stock, 25,358.

Mobile—Nominal; net receipts, 135; gross receipts, 137; stock, 376; coastwise, 136.

Savannah—Quiet, 12⅝; net receipts, 76; gross receipts, 76; stock, 11,017; continent, 250; coastwise, 495.

Charleston—Nominal; net receipts, 1; gross receipts, 1; stock, 5,508.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock, 143.

Norfolk—Steady, 12⅝; net receipts, 6; gross receipts, 6; stock, 1,563.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13; stock, 927.

New York—Quiet, 12.75; gross receipts, 2,694; sales, 49; stock, 80,505; Great Britain, 200; France, 15; continent, 81; coastwise, 1,137.

Boston—Quiet, 12.75; gross receipts, 119; stock, 6,531.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 13.00; stock, 867.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 3,625; Great Britain, 200; France, 15; continent, 381; stock, 136,009.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 4,652; Great Britain, 1,337; France, 15; continent, 7,339.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 8,488,751; Great Britain, 3,260,876; France, 900,459; continent, 3,060,771; Japan, 148,972; Mexico, 2,075.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 12⅝; net receipts, 7,785; gross receipts, 7,785; shipments, 6,963; sales, 1,322; stock, 14,762.

Augusta—Quiet, 13⅛; net receipts, 1; gross receipts, 1; stock, 1,650.

Memphis—Nominal, 13; net receipts, 16; gross receipts, 203; shipments, 187; sales, 12; stock, 23,945.

St. Louis—Nominal, 13; gross receipts, 18; shipments, 182; stock, 4,836.

Cincinnati—Stock, 17,243.

Little Rock—Quiet, 12⅛; shipments, 3; stock, 3,980.

Louisville—Firm, 13.

Total today—Net receipts, 7,802; gross receipts, 8,007; shipments, 7,335; sales, 1,346; stock, 66,425.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Aug. 7.—Flurried by worse and worse reports about black rust in Manitoba the wheat market today made a violent upward movement. Closing prices were at nearly the top figures reached, 1¼@1⅝ higher than 48 hours before. Corn finished a shade to ⅛@⅜ up; oats, off ⅜@½, and provisions at an advance of 2½@5 to 17½@20.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 90¼@91; No. 3, red, 88½@90; No. 2, hard, 91@94; No. 3, hard, 90@90%; No. 1, northern, old, 110@112; No. 1, northern, new, 1.05@1.07; No. 2, northern, old, 1.05@1.10; No. 2, northern, new, 98@1.04; No. 3, northern, old, 1.00@1.03; do., new, 97; No. 2, spring, new, 93; No. 3, spring, 90@98; other grades, neglected.

Corn—No. 2, 64¼@64½; No. 2, white, 67@67½; No. 2, yellow, 64½@64⅝; No. 3, 64@64¼; No. 3, white, 66¾@67; No. 3, yellow, 64¼@64½; No. 4, 63@63¾; No. 4, white, 65@65½; No. 4, yellow, 63½@64.

Oats—No. 2, white, 40¾@41½; No. 3, white, 40¼@40¾; No. 4, white, 40@40¼; standard, 40½@41¾.

Wheat:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept	93½	93⅝	92⅞	93⅜
Dec	97½	97⅝	96⅝	97⅝
May	1.02⅝	1.03	1.02¼	1.03
Corn				
Sept	65	65	64⅛	64⅜
Dec	62¼	62⅜	61½	61⅝
May	64⅜	64½	63⅞	64⅛
Oats:				
Sept	42⅝	42¾	41¾	42¼
Dec	44⅜	45	44¼	44⅝
May	47⅝	47¾	46⅞	47⅜
Mess Pork, per barrel:				
Sept	17.85	18.00	17.85	17.85
Jan	16.62½	16.70	16.60	16.65
Lard:				
Jan	8.77	8.82½	8.70	8.80½
Sept	9.05	9.15	9.00	9.15
Oct	9.12	9.20	9.10	9.15
Dec	8.75	8.85	8.72	8.85
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds:				
Sept	9.40	9.52	9.37	9.47
Oct	9.25	9.35	9.27	9.32
Jan	8.47	8.50	8.45	8.47

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Aug. 7.—Rosin and turpentine, quiet.

Savannah, Aug. 7.—Turpentine, firm at 47½; sales, 412; receipts, 318; shipments, 4,430; stocks, 27,058.

Rosin—Firm. Sales 3,521; receipts, 1,335; shipments, 19,865; stocks, 97,337. Quote: B, 5.30@5.35; D, 5.50@5.55; E, 5.75; F, G, H and I, 6.32½@6.35; K, 6.32½@6.40; M, 6.35@6.45; N, 6.50@6.60; W G, 7.05@7.10; W W, 7.25.

Charleston, Aug. 7.—Turpentine, firm, at 49%@49¾.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: B, 5.25; D, 5.45; E, 5.60; F, G, H, I, K and M, 6.35; N, 6.50; W G, 7.00; W W, 7.20.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 7th.

Atlantic Coast Line—24 casks spirits turpentine; 12 barrels rosin; 3 barrels tar; 55 barrels crude turpentine.

Sharpe Leo—16 casks spirits turpentine; 41 barrels rosin.

Str. Whitlock—11 casks spirits turpentine, 66 barrels rosin.

Str. C. T. Herman—19 casks spirits turpentine; 109 barrels rosin.

Total—70 casks spirits turpentine; 228 barrels rosin; 3 barrels tar; 55 barrels crude turpentine.

Total last year—49 casks spirits turpentine; 182 barrels rosin; 3 barrels tar; 102 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Aug. 7.—Flour was firmly held, with a fair trade.

Rye Flour—Quiet.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye and Barley—Nominal.

Wheat—Strong. No. 2, new, 95½, elevator, and 97, f.o.b. afloat. Options closed firm, with renewed buying at 1⅜c. net advance; September, 98⅜; December, 1.02⅜.

Corn—Spot, easy. No. 2, 70½, elevator, domestic basis, to arrive, and Export No. 2, 70, f.o.b. afloat. Options, nominal, at ⅜c. net lower to 2 cents higher. September, 69½; December, 70.

Oats—Spot, easy. Standard white, 46¼; No. 2, 44; No. 3, 46; No. 4, 45½. Options closed nominal.

Lard—Firm.

Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, steady.

Coffee—Futures closed steady, net unchanged to 9 points higher. Spot, quiet; Rio, No. 7, 13½; Santos, No. 4, 13¾; mild, quiet; Cordova, 14@16, nominal.

Hides—Steady to firm.

Cheese—Firm.

Eggs—Steady.

Potatoes—Weak. White, No. 1, barrel, 2.75@3.25; No. 2, 1.25@2.00; Southern sweets, barrel, 2.50@4.00; Jersey sweets, basket, 2.00@2.50.

Cabbages—Easy, at 2.50@3.50 per 100.

Freights—Quiet. Cotton to Liverpool, per 100 pounds, 15@20. Grain to Liverpool, 1⅜d; grain to London, 1½d.

Peanuts—Steady. Fancy Hand Picked, Virginia, 5½@6; Virginia Shelled, Nos. 1 and 2, 4¼@6¼.

Cotton Seed Oil — Firm, early on the strength of lard and cotton, but the market later eased off under scattered profit-taking and lack of outside speculative support. Futures closed 7 points higher to 4 points lower. August, 5.50@5.57; September, 5.44@5.45; October, 5.39@5.40; November, 5.31@5.33. Prime crude, nominal. Prime summer yellow, 5.53@5.60; prime winter yellow, 5.75@6.50; prime summer white, 5.70@5.00.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 7.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady at 48⅜.

ROSIN—Steady, $4.85.

TAR—Firm, at $2.00 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$2.90 per barrel for hard; $4.40 for dip, and $4.40 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm, 55; rosin, firm, $3.90; tar, $2.25; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.00, $4.25 and $5.25.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	70
Rosin	228
Tar	3
Crude Turpentine	55

Receipts same day last year, 49 casks turpentine; 182 barrels rosin; 3 barrels tar; 102 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—(—) bales; same day last year, (—) bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Aug. 5th.)

PEANUTS—Virginia, .90 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.50@$1.60; Spanish, $1.15@$1.25.

CORN—Firm; .68 to .70 per bu.

PEAS—Out of season.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, $1.50 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Out of season.

WOOL—Burry, .12@.15 per lb.; free of burr, 17 to 18 per lb.

HIDES—Green, 7 to 7½ per lb.; dry, 12 per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12 to 13½ per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, out of season, Chickens, grown, .40@.45 per head; chickens, spring, .15@35 per head; Geese, .50 per head.

EGGS—Good demand, 19 to 20 per doz.

SHEEP—Lambs, .90 to $2.50 per head; grown sheep, .90 to $2.25.

The Peanut Market.

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Petersburg, Va., Aug. 1.—Farmers' Spanish—Firm, at $1.27½ per bushel; Shelled Spanis—No. 1, Spanish, Shelled, 7c. to 7¼c. per lb.; No. 2, Spanish, Shelled, 3½c. to c. per lb.; Virginias—Firm, Bunch, 5¼ to 5½c. per lb.; Fancy Hand Picked, 4¼c. to 4½c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 4c. per lb.; Prime, 3¾c. per lb.; Machine Picked, 3½c. to 4c. per lb.; Shelling Stock, 3c. to 3½c. per lb.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Aug. 7.—Money on call, steady at 2½@2½ per cent.; ruling rate, 2%; closing bid, offered at 2%. Time loans, firm; sixty days, 3@3¼ per cent; ninety days, 3¼@3½; six months, 3½@4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½. Sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.83.90 for sixty-day bills, and at 4.86@5 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.83¼. Bar silver, 53¼. Mexican dollars, 45.

THE LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

London, Aug. 7.—Today is a bank holiday and all the London and Liverpool exchanges are closed.

Nursing Mothers and Malaria.

The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children, 50c.

A new revelation for smokers—Hoffman House cigar—formerly 10c value, now 5c at Gerken Tobacco Co., only.

DULLNESS IN STOCK MARKET

Further Unsettlement Noted Yesterday—Week-end Developments. Less Support Accorded to Steel Shares.

New York, Aug. 7.—That the stock market should have shown further unsettlement today was hardly surprising to those who have watched the recent trend of events. Week-end developments while not altogether discouraging were hardly helpful to the constructive side of the situation, embracing as they did a number of adverse crop reports, some more unfavorable railroad earnings, including St. Paul, with a deficit for the fiscal year of $3,300,000, after payment of fixed charges and dividends, and finally affairs political and industrial. The attitude of the Stanley Investigating Committee at last Saturday's session in this city was the subject of no little discussion in the financial districts where the opinion seemed to prevail that the United States Corporation may have to divorce itself from its transportation companies, if it is to keep within the bounds of the anti-trust laws.

On the whole, the support accorded the steel shares today was less effective than that given to other stocks in the same class. The stock was again sold principally by a coterie of brokers whose recent activities on the short side have given unusual prominence to their operations. The bear account was quiet impartial, however, its attack upon Union Pacific, Reading, Lehigh Valley and St. Paul, as well as many issues of lesser importance, putting the bull faction on the defensive throughout the session.

The strength of the Hill stocks, the Coppers and some of the specialties, were noteworthy, but this may be explained on the ground that their price levels before the recent decline rendered them less liable to bear assaults. The dullness of the market following each successive rally suggested the inability or lack of desire of the bull account to carry its temporary advantage to any considerable point. Trading languished during the afternoon until well toward the close, when a buying movement of some proportions sent the list to its top level. The recovery met with some resistance and prices were shades from the best here and there, but final quotations resulted in many substantial gains.

The bond market was irregular, with total sales, par value, of $1,449,000. United States government bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales for the day, 529,000 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	23
Amalgamated Copper	64½
American Agricultural	50⅝
American Beet Sugar	51½
American Can	19⅝
American Car and Foundry	53½
American Cotton Oil	54½
American Hide and Leather, pfd	23
American Ice Securities	21
American Linseed	10
American Locomotive	38¼
American Smelting and Refining	74⅜
American Smelting and Refining, pfd	105¼
American Steel Foundries	38
American Sugar Refining	117
American Tel and Tel	135¼
American Tobacco, pfd	94¼
American Woolen	31
Anaconda Mining Co	37
Atchison	100
Atchison, pfd	103
Atlantic Coast Line	127¾
Baltimore and Ohio	104¼
Bethlehem Steel	32¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	78
Canadian Pacific	243⅝
Central Leather	27½
Central Leather, pfd	99⅛
Central of New Jersey	280
Chesapeake and Ohio	78⅜
Chicago and Alton	30
Chicago Great Western	21
Chicago Great Western, pfd	43
Chicago and North Western	143
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	124⅛
C., C., C. and St. Louis	70⅜
Colorado Fuel and Iron	31½
Colorado and Southern	52½
Consolidated Gas	141
Corn Products	13½
Delaware and Hudson	167
Denver and Rio Grande	27¾
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	56
Distillers' Securities	33¾
Erie	33
Erie, 1st pfd	50¼
Erie, 2nd pfd	43⅝
General Electric	156½
Great Northern, pfd	129⅞
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	53
Illinois Central	138
Interborough-Met	16¾
Interborough-Met, pfd	46¼
Inter-Harvester	117¾
Inter-Marine, pfd	16
International Paper	11
International Pump	38½
Iowa Central	18¾
Kansas City Southern	32⅞
Kansas City Southern, pfd	57
Laclede Gas	104¾
Louisville and Nashville	146½
Minneapolis and St. Louis	33
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	137¾
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	34¾
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	66
Missouri Pacific	45⅜
National Biscuit	133¼
National Lead	53¾
Nat. Rys of Mexico, 2nd pfd	31½
New York Central	106⅝
New York, Ontario and Western	40⅜
Norfolk and Western	104⅜
North American	71½
Northern Pacific	125
Pacific Mail	30¾
Pennsylvania	122
People's Gas	104½
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	94
Pittsburg Coal	20¼
Pressed Steel Car	34¾
Pullman Palace Car	159
Railway Steel Spring	34
Reading	152⅞
Republic Steel	28⅜
Republic Steel, pfd	93¼
Rock Island Co	20¼
Rock Island Co., pfd	59
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	46
St. Louis Southwestern	28⅝
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	68
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	46½
Southern Pacific	118¼
Southern Railway	30⅝
Southern Railway, pfd	70¼
Tennessee Copper	135½
Texas and Pacific	33½
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	19
Toledo, St. Louis and Western, pfd	45½
Union Pacific	182½
Union Pacific, pfd	93½
United States Realty	70⅞
United States Rubber	37⅝
United States Steel	75¼
United States Steel, pfd	116⅝
Utah Copper	46
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	56
Wabash	15
Wabash, pfd	32⅜
Western Maryland	60
Westinghouse Electric	67
Western Union	76⅝
Wheeling and Lake Erie	3

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Aug. 7.—The cotton goods market is quiet and steadier. Advances of ⅛-a yard are announced on graded 4-4 bleached muslins. Dress goods are in light demand. Jaw silk is steady. Yarns are quiet, with an easing tendency.

Accused of Stealing.

E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Me., boldly accuses Bucklen's Arnica Salve of stealing—the sting from burns or scalds—the pain from sores of all kinds—the distress from boils or piles. "It robs cuts, corns, bruises, sprains and injuries of their terror," he says, "as a healing remedy its equal don't exist." Only 25c. at R. R. Bellamy.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, Aug. 8.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M., Monday, August 7th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 75 degrees; at 8 P. M., 74 degrees; maximum, 83 degrees; minimum, 72 degrees; mean, 78 degrees.

Rainfall during the day, .52 inch; for the month, 6.06 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Monday, 6.3 feet and falling.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Unsettled, Tuesday; probable local showers; Wednesday, generally fair; moderate east winds, becoming variable.

Port Calendar—August 8th.

Sun rises	5:28 A. M.
Sun sets	7:07 P. M.
Day's length	13 hrs. 41 min.
High water at Southport	7:08 A. M.
High water at Wilmington	10:08 A. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

August 7, 1911.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today	Temperature: Lowest Last Night	24-Hour Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	98	76	.0
Asheville	pt cldy	84	62	1.12
Atlanta	raining	90	72	.01
Augusta	clear	90	74	.0
Birmingham	pt cldy	92	68	.0
Boston	cloudy	70	62	.0
Charleston	raining	90	74	.18
Charlotte	clear	88	70	.0
Chicago	clear	92	74	.0
Galveston	clear	88	82	.0
Jacksonville	cloudy	92	74	.20
Memphis	pt cldy	90	74	.0
Mobile	raining	94	76	.22
Montgomery			74	
New Orleans	cloudy	94	76	.0
New York	clear	76	68	.0
Palestine	clear	94	74	.0
Oklahoma	clear	100	74	.0
Pittsburg	pt cldy	92	70	.04
Raleigh	pt cldy	86	72	.0
Savannah	clear	90	74	.04
Shreveport	clear	94	74	.0
St. Louis	clear	88	68	.46
Washington	clear	86	68	.0

Childish Beliefs.

Yes, children believe plenty of queer things. I suppose all of you have had the pocketbook fever when you were little. What do I mean? Why, ripping up old pocketbooks in the firm belief that bank bills to an immense amount were hidden in them. So, too, you must all remember some splendid unfulfilled promise of somebody, or other, which fed you with hopes perhaps for years, and which left a blank in your life which nothing has ever filled up.—Holmes.

Frenchman's Family a Large One.

A farmer of St. Usurgues, in Saone-et-Loire, France, has just had his thirtieth child baptized. The old gentleman, whose name is Bossut, has been married three times and has had 17 sons and 13 daughters. Twenty-two of his children are still living.

BACK GIVES OUT

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Wilmington people tell you how they act.

Joseph C. Vercen, 320 S. Sixth street, Wilmington, N. C., says: "Some time ago I strained myself while lifting and soon after my back became very lame and sore. I could not stoop without having sharp pains shoot through my body. My kidneys also bothered me and I had a constant desire to pass the kidney secretions, particularly at night. I could get nothing that would relieve me until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Robt. R. Bellamy's Drug Store. The use of two boxes stopped the pains in my back and regulated the passage of the kidney secretions. I am very willing to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills."

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$3.50 Oxfords	$2.65
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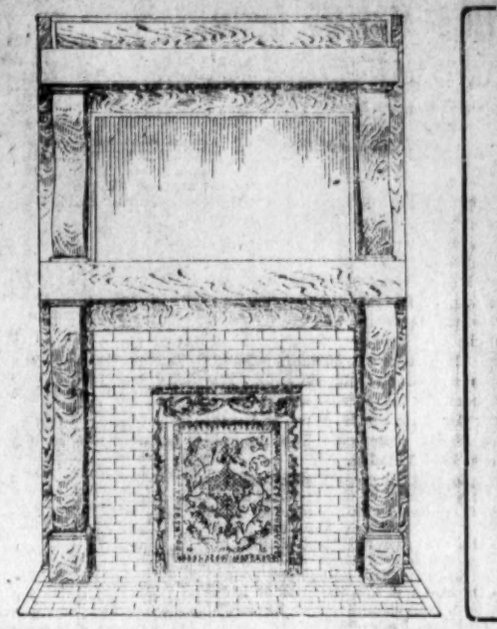

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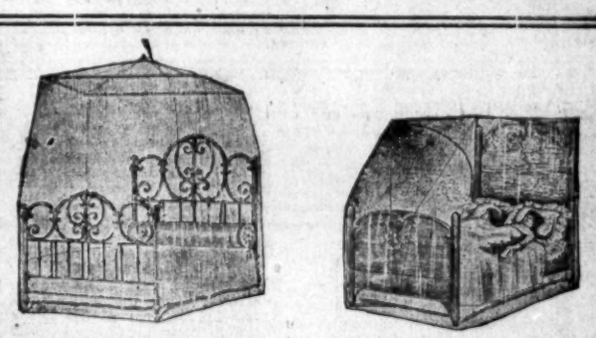

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AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Victims of Wreck—Two Deaths in Raleigh—Negro Beaten Up by Farmers—Bound Over for Blockading—Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 7.—The remains of Locomotive Engineer Dan Hicks and of Robert Tooley, his negro fireman, killed in the Seaboard Air Line collision of freight and passenger trains at Petersburg last night, were brought here this afternoon for interment. Mr. Hicks was 50 years old and leaves a wife and six children. He had been in the service of the Seaboard Air Line for 25 years and was most highly esteemed. The funeral will be held Tuesday.

People of Raleigh were shocked this morning to learn of the death of Mrs. Ernest Martin, which occurred last night after a five weeks' illness. She was the wife of Mr. Ernest Martin, of the Martin Hosiery Mills, and was an especially handsome and gifted young woman. She was the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Baylus Cade, was 34 years old and had been married 16 years. Her husband and two sons survive.

The Globe Fish Co., of Elizabeth City, is chartered with $25,000 capital authorized and $2,000 subscribed by A. S. Freeman, E. R. Daniels and others for conducting a general fishery. Another charter was for the Dahl-Dunn Co., Charlotte, capital $25,000 by N. B. Dahl, A. J. Dunn and others for general furnishings and decorating business.

The funeral of Mr. C. B. Crowell, prominent druggist here, member of the Bobbitt-Wynne Co., and manager of the store, took place from the Presbyterian church this afternoon at 3 o'clock. He died Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock suddenly of heart disease. He was thirty-six years of age and had been in the drug business in Raleigh for ten years, first as Crowell, McLarty Co., then as King-Crowell Co., and last, having sold his interest in King-Crowell Co., as stockholder and manager of the Bobbitt-Wynne Co. Five years ago he married Miss Margaret Crow and she survives. Mr. Crowell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Crowell, and his sister, Miss Bessie, arrived today to attend the funeral.

With blood streaming from two deep gashes in his head and from a dozen shot wounds in his back, John Hatcher, colored, appealed to a patrolman Sunday morning to take him where he could have medical attention. He said J. H. Council and his son, Swaney Council, farmers, near Raleigh, met him in the road and beat him up and then shot him as he ran, because he had stayed out longer than they thought he ought to with their horse and buggy, making a trip to Raleigh. He says the father covered him with his gun while the son knocked him out of the buggy and beat him and that finally the son took the gun from the old man and struck him twice over the head with the butt of it and then shot him as he ran away. Hatcher's wounds are serious but not considered dangerous. He had been working for the Councils for a month.

Wade Barnette and Sid Driver, two farmers of the Yougsville section, were bound over to the Federal court today to answer the charge of blockade distilling. They were captured at their still while operating it by the revenue raiders Saturday. The illicit plant was destroyed.

The committee in control of the Raleigh public schools has authorized Superintendent Harper to employ an instructor in physical culture to devote his entire time to this work at the several school buildings.

FIRE AT ENFIELD.

Tobacco Warehouse and Prize House Destroyed—Other Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Aug. 7.—Word has been received here today of a disastrous $10,000 fire which destroyed the Enfield Tobacco Warehouse and the four-story prize house at Enfield about 18 miles from here. The fire was the worst the town of Enfield has had since March 14th, 1907, when the Enfield Knitting Mills, and several residences were destroyed by a fire which threatened the entire town. The fire was discovered in the feed room located in the northeast corner of the building and was burning rapidly when Mr. Charles Neal smelled the smoke and located the blaze. Before the fire burned itself out a number of buildings were threatened. A high wind was blowing toward the residences of J. R. Edmondson, on Dixie street, and the Wood ginning plant, street. Only able efforts of the volunteer firemen and a timely shift of the wind saved these buildings.

The warehouse had been enlarged recently and was valued at $2,000 with $1,000 insurance. The prize house was valued at $2,000 with $700 insurance. Other losses were The Kimball Hardware Co. $1,000, no insurance; C. E. McGwigan $500, no insurance; I. M. Lewis $250, no insurance and several lesser losses.

BURMAN MAKES A RECORD.

New Auto Record on Track at Scranton, Pa.

Scranton, Pa., Aug. 7.—Bob Burman, driving a 20 horsepower Buzen Benz, this afternoon established a new record for a mile on a half-mile track, covering the distance in one minute and eight seconds, 25 of a second better than the record. The world's record on a half-mile track is one minute and six seconds, this time having been accomplished on a circular banked track.

In the half mile time trials Burman came within one-fifth of a second of equalling the world's record of 34 1-5 seconds, Burman going around the track in 34 2 5 seconds.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. D. MacMillan, Jr.—They Came.
American National Bank—Ascertain.
Wilmington Savings and Turst Co.—Savings.
St. John's Lodge, A., F. and A. M.—Monthly Communication.

Business Locals.

Lost—Bunch of Keys.
Palace Market—Today.
Wanted—Clothing Salesmen.
D. R. Foster & Co.—Rooms.
W. P. Oldham—Just Received.
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WOMAN MAYOR TALKS.

Politics Not Woman's Game Says Mrs. Ella Wilson.

Hunnewell, Kas., Aug. 7.—"Politics is not a woman's game." This is the decision of Mrs. Ella Wilson, mayor of this town, who since her inauguration has had a continuous fight with the male city council. They have not confirmed her appointees for city marshal or city clerk and she has not signed any of the ordinances they passed.

Mrs. Wilson tonight, for the first time, admitted she would quit if she could, saying politics is not the place for a woman, but at the same time she turned on the members of the city council and forced the members to listen to her. She will not quit unless forced to do so, she says.

During the last week Mrs. Wilson has conferred with Governor Stubbs and he told her, she says, that if tonight's meeting of the city council was not satisfactory he would aid her in having members of the council ousted. On the other hand, the element which is fighting Mrs. Wilson is talking of bringing proceedings to force her out of the office.

"You fellows evidently are not here for business," Mrs. Wilson told the councilmen tonight when the meeting opened. "You must get out and help me run the town." When one of the councilmen attempted to ridicule her, she made him quit and sit down.

"I suppose that you represent the will of the people of this town?" asked J. F. Richardson, when the mayor vetoed an ordinance.

"Sit down," ordered Mrs. Wilson, "I am mayor here."

Richardson sat down and he did not interrupt the proceedings again.

The meeting tonight accomplished nothing except to pay for the repairs on the town pump, as the mayor would sign no ordinances passed by the council, and the council would do nothing the mayor wished.

At the close of the meeting Mrs. Wilson telegraphed to Governor Stubbs to begin ouster proceedings against the members of the council.

TRUE REFORMER INQUIRY.

Richmond Grand Jury Investigating Alleged Frauds.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 7.—The grand jury investigating the alleged frauds in the True Reformer, colored organization, is nearing the end of its inquiry. It adjourned at 1 o'clock this afternoon until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. To set at rest certain rumors regarding the State Insurance Bureau, and as a matter of justice to Col. Bulton, commissioner of insurance, the grand jury has filed with the clerk of the Hustings court to be spread upon the records the resolution:

"Whereas, an evening paper of this city published Friday August 4th a statement to the effect that the insurance department of Virginia was to be investigated by this grand jury, and, whereas, this statement, which was wholly without foundation, has been telegraphed to other papers, in justice to the State department of insurance, we deem it proper to say that this grand jury never had any intention of investigating the insurance department of Virginia, and that no evidence or facts were at any time introduced to this jury which would, in the remotest degree, call for any investigation of the conduct of that department. Such an investigation had never been broached by any member of the grand jury."

WOULD COVER UP CRIME.

Cashier Planned to Burn Dock Mills in Jersey City.

New York, Aug. 7.—As a result of the alleged attempt last night to destroy the records of the Long Dock Mills & Elevator Company in Jersey City for the purpose of concealing a shortage of $2,500 in the accounts of Samuel Brown, the cashier, Brown and Patrick J. Timmons, an expert accountant, are in jail there tonight under the charges of arson, conspiracy and manslaughter. The police hold a confession, bearing Brown's signature, telling of his plans for the crime and naming Timmons, his good friend as an accomplice. Frank Walsh, known as "lightning" the burglar, who was hired to do the job, died today of burns received in trying to carry out the scene. Brown was arrested when he reported for work today. His employers told the police that experts had been examining the accounts during the previous week, and had set today for examining the books. Brown told the detectives that he had been short since January 1st, and that Timmons had worked on the books, as a friend, for three months trying to cover up his tracks.

REPREHENSIBLE CONDUCT.

Near-Scandal Before State Text Book Commission Hearing.

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 7.—W. C. Warfield, of the World Publishing Company, was tonig... after an investigation of the State Text Book Commissioner, found guilty of reprehensible conduct in attempting to form an alleged pool to use $1,500 to secure some "friend" whom he declined to name in the Department of Education of the State to secure the adoption of certain books. Chief Clerk Barwick, who had been referred to, was found not guilty. Warfield had approached other book men and used Barwick's name. The commissioner is to adopt books for use for five years in the public schools of the State.

New York, Apg. 7.—"The strong arm squad" of detectives from headquarters, and police reserves from three precincts battled tonight with 200 rioting negroes in Harlem, routing them, and arrested thirty-five of the rig-leaders. The riot followed an attempt to arrest a score of blacks who were annoying women on the streets.

A CARD.

Editor of the Star, City:

Please kindly allow me to thank my white and colored friends for their many offers of assistance and tender expressions of sympathy, during the sickness and death of my beloved wife, Anna C. Howard. The support of my friends has enabled me to endure my sorrow and to them I wish to return heartfelt thanks and to say that I will hold them in dear remembrance. Most respectfully,

JAMES E. HOWARD.

Daily Thought.

Music to the mind is as air to the body.—Plato.

TAFT MAKES PLEA FOR THE TREATIES

(Continued from Page One.)

which the main treaty provide shall be performed on the side of the United States, and then to abide the result and to acquiesce, or, insofar as may be, perform and execute the judgment of the tribunal.

"I invoke your aid as a branch of the great Methodist church, to bring all the influence you can bring, the secure the confirmation of the treaties now made, and of those which may be made hereafter of a similar tenor with other countries. This movement has attracted the attention not only of England and of France, but of all the countries of Europe and of the Orient. It is not too much to hope that there are a number of others who will be willing now to sign the same kind of treaties as those already made, and that we may ultimately have a network of such agreements making long strides toward universal peace."

In closing the President pointed out the peculiar relations between this country and the Central American Republic, due largely to the insistence of the United States that the Monroe Doctrine be observed. He declared that if the United States insists upon the Monroe Doctrine it should also be willing to help the Republics, as was done with Santo Domingo by collecting their revenues for them and applying these revenues to the payment of just obligations.

"Is it not better," asked the President, "thus to anticipate trouble and ward it off by more civil arrangements that involve but little burden than to wait until war follows, until European nations undertake a forcible collection of their debts and when we have come face to face with an European controversy and continuous wars in the Central American Republics themselves."

STRUCK DEAD AT ALTAR.

Bolt of Lightning Pierced House of Worship in Wisconsin.

West Bend, Wis., Aug. 7.—Mourning for Philip Brissel, whose body lay in a coffin before the altar of St. John's Evangelical church at Kohlville, Mrs. Henry Conrad was struck dead and four other women rendered unconscious when a bolt of lightning pierced the house of worship yesterday.

Rev. John Frank had just started the sermon when a vivid flash of flame and deafening crash seemed to paralyze the entire congregation.

Pastor Frank's words of compassion for the sorrowing family were never uttered. Mrs. Conrad and a dozen other women lay prostrate on the floor, while near them writhed a dozen others, their shrieks of terror precipitating a panic which only cool headed men hardly yet comprehending the situation, prevented. In this church the men sit on one side and the women on the other. Hence, when the lightning struck the steepel entered the church and hurled down a chandelier under which sat Mrs. Conrad, the lightning found only feminine victims.

FIRE AT JACKSONVILLE.

Store of Mr. J. D. Lee Burned Early Yesterday Morning.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Jacksonville, N. C., Aug. 7.—Fire was discovered this morning in the back part of a store here belonging to Dr. B. L. Kellum, and occupied by J. D. Lee, a popular merchant of this place. It looked from the flames as if fire was started by rats and this is the supposition that prevails here. By the ringing of the bells and the clever work of the night operator of the Onslow Telephone Co., the crowd became at once immense and by their presence the small fire engine was kept in action all the time and in all probability this saved the entire business block.

The total loss is estimated at $4,000 with $3,000 insurance. Dr. Kellum will repair the burned parts of the building and before long there will be a glittering new stock of goods inside these walls. No other buildings were damaged.

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KILLING AT PEACHLAND.

James Eddins, Shot by Preston Hanner Yesterday Afternoon.

Wadesboro, N. C., Aug. 7.—A few minutes after 3 o'clock this afternoon, at Peachland, this county, 12 miles from here, Preston Hanner, a 15-year-old white boy, shot and fatally wounded James Eddins, also white, about 45 years of age. Eddins having died at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon after Hanner had been committed to jail without bond here. Eddins was shot just below the ear, a single-barreled shotgun having been used. Hanner is a country boy and says the shooting was an accident; that he had nothing against Eddins. It is said that a crowd of white boys were playing horse shoe pitching, among them young Hanner, and that as Eddins walked up, Hanner's gun fired, Edding being shot just below the ear. Esq. C. S. Redfern committed the youth to jail without bail.

DEFENSE OF THE TRUSTS.

Made in Speech Written by Geo. H. Perkins, of New York.

Houghton, Mich., Aug. 7.—An earnest defense of the trusts, criticism of men in public life as unfitted for their work, and a plea for Nationalism as against a destructive policy characterized the speech which George W. Perkins, of New York, prepared for delivery before the Michigan College of Mines today. Mr. Perkins, however, was called to testify before the Stanley Steel Investigating Committee at Washington, and, in his absence, President McNair read the paper. Mr. Perkins' topic was "Wanted—A Constructive National Policy."

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